WEATHER FORECAST

For 36 hours ending 5 p.m., Thursday: Victoria and vicinity—Moderate to fresh south and west winds, unsettled and mild, with occasional showers.

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Big Highway Project To Proceed At Once

CANADA DOLLAR MAY BRING U. S. GOLD OVER LINE

Now at Premium in New York and Expected to Go Still Higher; British Pound Sterling Also at New High Point for Year

New York, March 21 (Canadian Press).—The gold board of the United States, in to which heavy inroads have been made by open market purchases of the Bank of France, withdrawals by numerous South American countries and miscellaneous shipments to several European points, may suffer a further reduction within the next few days if the Canadian dollar and the British pound sterling and the Canadian dollar continue to climb.

The Canadian dollar is at a premium of one-sixteenth of one per cent, but predictions are made that the rate will soon move up to an eighth, due to the seasonal trend. The rate at which gold would move from New York to Montreal is computed at three-sixteenths.

NEW HIGH MARK

Yesterday the London rate reached a new high for the year at $488 5-16, compared with its parity of $4.8665, and should the pound sterling reach $4.88½, shipments of gold by local banks would automatically follow.

The shipments involving $8,500,000 were made to London last December. Those shipments marked the first time since the outbreak of the World War that sterling had climbed to a premium over the dollar high enough to yield a profit on gold transactions.

LARGE INVESTMENTS

Other than the seasonal upswing of sterling, the reasons for the present rise are not entirely clear. The spread between interest rates here and in London is not sufficient to cause any great flow of funds, but investment of United States funds in industrial and public utility undertakings in Great Britain have been fairly large. This has led to a certain amount of purchases of London exchange.

NEW YORK STOCK PRICES SOAR

New York, March 21.—Half a billion dollars or more was added to the quoted values of securities listed on the New York Stock Exchange to-day in another frenzy of buying which lifted two score issues to record high prices. Radio, after touching a new high at $162.25 a share, broke to $155, unchanged from yesterday's close, but General Motors advanced nearly $5 a share to another new high record at $177.87½, and United States Steel common advanced $4 a share to $150.

Total sales aggregated 3,903,800 shares, or within 10,000 shares of the record turnover of March 13.

Produce Marketing Appeal Dismissed

Grand Forks, March 21—Appeal taken by the Committee of Direction against the decision given by Magistrate McCallum dismissing on December 1 the action against J. A. Coleman, fruit grower, for an infraction of the Produce Marketing Act, was dismissed with costs by Judge J. R. Brown in the county court here yesterday. No appearance was made for the committee.

The action has been taken against Mr. Coleman for shipping a car of apples on October 12 without a license and, when the case was dismissed, an appeal was taken.

COOLIDGE GIVES LINDBERGH MEDAL

President Hands Flier Emblem Voted By Congress of United States

Washington, March 21—President Coolidge to-day placed about the shoulders of Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh the blue ribbon of the Congressional Medal of Honor, rarest of United States tributes to courage and initiative.

Surrounded by the highest public officials in the executive department and by Republican and Democratic congressional leaders, President Coolidge conferred the decoration for "heroic courage and great skill" in the Lindbergh aeroplane flight from New York to Paris.

"I offer you my heartiest congratulations," the President said after conferring the medal.

He added that in his flight Lindbergh had "not only achieved the greatest personal triumph of any American citizen, but had shown transatlantic flight was possible."

BANKER FOR HALF CENTURY

Sir Frederick Williams-Taylor Joined Bank of Montreal in 1878

Prominent Financier Honored By Associates

The fifty years of banking which are behind Sir Frederick Williams-Taylor, general manager of the Bank of Montreal, have served to endear the able financier to hundreds all across Canada. On the anniversary of his entry into the services of the bank, March 17, his associates, representatives of the executive officers and senior members of the Montreal staff offered him their congratulations.

Victoria knows Sir Frederick. He has many friends here who will be pleased to know that on that day in the committee room at the bank's head office, Sir Frederick was moved by the expression of friendship offered him.

A portrait of Sir Frederick, done in oils by Alphonse Jongers, and an illuminated address enclosed in a handsome casket, were presented to him by his associates on the bank staff.

SINCE 1878

Sir Frederick entered the bank service in 1878. He was a Moncton, New Brunswick boy. Time passed and he rose to be assistant inspector at the head office in Montreal. After a little he was made joint manager of the Chicago branch and then manager of the London, England, branch.

"His wide knowledge of the resources and business possibilities of the country, gained through constant travel in visiting the numerous branches of the bank, was of great value to Canada, as well as the bank, during his tenure of office in London," say the bank authorities.

GETS RECOGNITION

Sir Frederick was knighted in 1913 and in the same year returned to Canada to take the position of general manager, rendered vacant by the elevation of Sir Vincent Meredith to the presidency.

Sir Frederick and Lady Williams-Taylor spent some days during the Summer of 1926 in this city. He was much impressed with the beauty of the place at that time and expressed a wish that he might return here in the near future.

RAILWAY WORK TO START IN NORTH

Construction Soon to Add Section to Portland Canal Line

Vancouver, March 21.—Work will be started within three weeks on the clearing and reconditioning of the thirteen and one-half miles of railway from Stewart up the Bear River Valley, according to an announcement made here to-day by W. A. Lewthwaite, who has organized a company to carry on the line into the Groundhog coal field and operate it.

There is still too much snow for the work to be begun, he says, but within three weeks the first crews will start cutting down the brush which has overgrown the section built by Sir Donald Mann in 1912. The ties will have to be replaced and fresh ballast will have to be put down, but the grade is in good condition and the steel is unimpaired, he states.

WILL ADD SECTION

When the reconditioning work is done the company will build another twelve miles of railway across the summit between the Bear and Naas Valleys. During the coming Summer, says Mr. Lewthwaite,

TO GROUNDHOG COUNTRY

With that part of the line completed construction of the remaining 125 miles to the Groundhog country can be carried ahead next year without difficulty, he states.

The portion of the line in the Bear Valley is expected to do a satisfactory volume of business from the outset, serving the numerous mining properties which are already under development and on which big sums will be spent this year as a result of the renewed interest of big eastern capital in mining in the Portland Canal region.

NORTH VANCOUVER TAX RATE

North Vancouver, March 21—An increase of four mills in the tax rate has been approved by the North Vancouver City Council, the rate being struck at forty-two mills. The jump is due to higher school costs and loan charges.

Is Honored on the Fiftieth Anniversary of His Career

SIR FREDERICK WILLIAMS-TAYLOR
General Manager of the Bank of Montreal.

Island To Get Giant Paper Mill As Dam On Nimpkish Is Approved

Vancouver Island was virtually assured of a giant pulp and paper industry to-day when the Provincial Board authorized the development of the Nimpkish River by the Canadian Forest Products Company for power purposes.

By harnessing the river with the erection of a large dam this concern will create power sufficient to operate one of the largest pulp and paper mills in Canada on the east coast of the Island, near the mouth of the Nimpkish.

A license allowing the use of the river for power purposes has been issued to the company, and a further license covering the storage of water in Nimpkish Lake will be issued during the next few days. This will enable the company to proceed with its pulp and paper scheme which is backed by the International Harvester interests of Chicago.

TO PROTECT FISH

The new water licenses carry clauses designed to portect the salmon run, which experts fear may be ruined if the Nimpkish is damned without proper provision for the fish. After considering the vigorous controversy waged over the future of the Nimpkish salmon, the Water Board is including in the licenses granted to the Canadian Forest Products Company a clause forcing this concern to "contruct and maintain a fish way in such places and of such nature, form and capacity as shall be prescribed in accordance with the provisions of the Fisheries Act."

This provision will enable the Do-Dominion Government, through its

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Engineer Tells of Leaks Seen Before Big Dam Broke

Los Angeles, March 21—William Mulholland, who testified to-day at the coroner's inquest on the bodies of St. Francis dam victims, and who was engineer in charge of construction of the dam, said the leak conditions eleven hours before its collapse were "bad, very bad."

Mulholland, veteran chief engineer of the Los Angeles Bureau of Water and Power, with tears coursing down his cheeks moaned: "The only ones I envy are those who are dead. We certainly must have overlooked something."

Deported Man Is Held in Seattle

Seattle, March 21—Roy Richardson, alias Aldrich, alias Hartwig, deported from Vancouver, B.C., yesterday, was arrested in Seattle to-day on a charge of being a fugitive from justice. Deputy sheriffs say he was charged with liquor law violations several months ago, but jumped his bail and went to Canada.

RACETRACKS HEAR ECHO OF TEAPOT DOME OIL DEALS

Barring of H. F. Sinclair's Horses in Maryland Interests U.S. Racing Men

New York, March 21.—The barring of Harry F. Sinclair's horses from the tracks in Maryland created a stir in turf circles to-day.

The action of the Maryland Racing Commission, taken because of the Teapot Dome Oil scandal, is the first instance in many years wherein a large owner has been prohibited from racing his horses. It is one of the few times, if any, that an outstanding operator on the throughbred tracks of America has been the subject of such action for reasons outside racing itself.

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Military Leader Is Murdered in China

Tientsin, China, March 21—Chang Shao-tseng, noted military leader, was murdered in a "Sing Song" house here to-night.

Prince of Wales Falls From Horse

Bisley, Eng., March 21.—The Prince of Wales fell to-day during the Oakley Hunt point to point race. He was not injured.

The Prince was competing in the Guards' Brigade Inter-regimental Challenge Cup race when he fell. After jumping the seventh fence the Prince tried to clear a brook, but was unseated.

NEW U.S. NAVY BILL TOTALS $359,190,000

Measure Reported to House Largest Since Washington Conference

Committee Can See No Decline in Outlays in the Immediate Future

Washington, March 21—Proposing the largest expenditure for the naval establishment since the Washington Limitations Conference, the annual Naval Department supply bill was reported to the House to-day by its appropriation committee.

The total of the measure, $359,190,000, is an increase of $20,384,000 above current funds, but a decrease of $1,288,000 below the budget recommendations.

The committee's report, drafted by Representative French, Republican, Idaho, said the increase was brought about "chiefly by the mounting costs of naval aviation," and also by the "fact that all eight of the 10,000-ton cruisers authorized in 1924 will be under construction at one time."

"The committee can vision no prospect of declining naval costs in the immediate future," the report added. "Indeed, all indications point to an appreciable and immediate upward trend."

The sixteen new warship construction programme recently approved by the House, aviation, modernization of capital ships and the possibility of replacement of existing ships were referred to as prospective causes of increased appropriations.

VERDICT SOON ON MINE FIRE

Coroner's Jury to Make Statement on Deaths of Nine Men at Copper Mountain, B.C.

Princeton, March 21.—The inquest on the nine deaths in the fire which destroyed a mine bunkhouse at Copper Mountain, twelve miles from here, early last Sunday morning, was resumed here to-day. The chief purpose at the start of the session to-day was to have evidence given that would indicate clearly what room of the building the men died in during the blaze.

The first session of the inquest was held yesterday.

MARSHAL'S INQUIRY

Provincial Fire Marshal Thomas at 2 o'clock this afternoon is to continue the inquiry he is conducting.

W. R. Dunwoody, provincial police inspector at Nelson, arrived here but did not attend the inquest yesterday. He stated that at present, he knew almost nothing of the tragedy and would supervise the police work with Staff Sergeant Fraser of Penticton, still virtually in charge.

Sergeant Fraser stated several small clues had been run down, but without much success. During his cross-examination at the inquest yesterday he was asked questions as to possible clues of discord, but he gave no such information.

Adjournment of the inquest came yesterday afternoon with the verdict held up by a last effort on the part of the jury to learn more of the conditions governing the second, and especially the third floor, where most of the men met their deaths.

NOZZLE FOUND

One of the nozzels in No. 2, the other bunkhouse, had been taken off and was found in the snow, and it was only the presence of mind of Charles Stocker and the fact that he was just in time that saved the second bunkhouse and perhaps the lives of many more men, it was testified. Two minutes more would have been too late.

The eight bodies recovered will be laid in one large grave in Princeton cemetery Friday afternoon.

LITTLE JOE

PLANE REPORT IS UNFOUNDED

Greenville, Mich., March 21—The rumor that the missing Hinchliffe transatlantic plane and two bodies had been found on Whitecap Mountain, near here, was traced by a detective to-day to what was intended as a "joke" by a woodsman on the morning train to Bangor.

A powerful tractor used in lumbering operations, he also, said was believed to have been responsible for reports that a plane was heard at Roach's Pond, near here, Thursday morning.

LIFE SENTENCE IN QUEBEC FOR DORIS M'DONALD

Federal Cabinet Confirms Death Sentence of Her Husband, G. C. McDonald

Ottawa, March 21.—The death sentence of Doris McDonald has been commuted to life imprisonment, but her husband, George C. McDonald, is to be executed Friday morning.

The Cabinet, after considering the evidence regarding the killing of Adelard Bouchard, a taxi driver, between Montreal and the New York State border last year, decided to commute the sentence of the young woman, but ruled the sentence of her husband must take its course.

The order-in-council was signed at 12.30 p.m. to-day and telegraph messages were sent to the sheriff at Beauharnois, Quebec, and Mr. Justice Walsh, who presided at the trial.

The execution is to be carried out at the jail at Valleyfield, Que.

AFFIDAVIT MADE

A few days ago McDonald, in his cell, made an affidavit declaring his wife, who is only twenty-one years of age, had nothing whatever to do with the actual killing of Bouchard.

Mrs. McDonald formerly was an actress in New York.

McDonald's father is a baker in Sydney, Nova Scotia. His mother lives in Maine.

The verdict returned at the trial recommended mercy for Doris McDonald.

PETITIONS SENT

Soon after the trial many persons both in Canada and the United States, interested themselves in the case on behalf of the condemned young woman. Petitions were signed on both sides of the border and sent to the office of the Minister of Justice.

George McDonald, before the murder, had a criminal record covering the last ten years. He was known to the police of several cities in Canada and the United States. He was born in Nova Scotia. George spent a term in the boys' reformatory at Halifax, N.S., and also did time in the penitentiary at Dorchester, N.B.

RAIL BUILDERS ARE GIVEN JUDGMENT

Counter Claim in Georgia Construction Co.-P.G.E. Suit Also Allowed

Vancouver, March 21.—By a decision of Mr. Justice Morrison in the Supreme Court here to-day, the Georgia Construction Company Limited is awarded judgment on its claim against the Pacific Great Eastern Railway Company for nearly $80,000 for overhaul incurred in building a cut and fill at Mile 13.7, North Lillooet.

"There will be judgment for the price of the overhaul as claimed for the amount which I understand counsel agreed will be settled between the parties without prejudice should the plaintiffs succeed," said the judge.

J. W. de B. Farris, K.C., counsel with Gordon Sloan for the Georgia Construction Company and the Bank of Toronto, co-plaintiff, stated that although Duncan McMillan, P.G.E. engineer, had estimated that the plaintiffs, according to their own calculations, were entitled to $50,000 odd for overhaul, the correct estimate would approximate $80,000. This matter will be spoken to again before Mr. Justice Morrison if counsel can not agree.

E. C. Mayers and C. H. Locke were counsel for the defence.

COUNTER CLAIM ALLOWED

The judge allowed the defendant's counter claim for $2,935, being damage sustained through the contractor's failure to complete the job within the contract time.

The original claim was for $126,612, but of this $24,929, claimed delay in construction of a culvert in the fill, and a large sum made up of interest, were abandoned at the trial. There remained the claim for overhaul.

ELEVEN WORKERS ARE KILLED

Mueckenberg, Saxony, March 21.—Eleven workers were killed and seven seriously injured to-day in the collapse of an elevator crane under construction at the Brown Company's coal works here. The crane collapsed during a storm.

West Coast Road Work Will Start Within Next Month

Sutherland Orders Commencement of Big Project Without Delay; All Plant Ordered to Carry Out Scheme by Day Labor; Will Establish Base at Present Road End, Near Jordan River, and Commence Slashing Operations Within Thirty Days

Actual construction of the West Coast Road to make the rich western hinterland of Vancouver Island tributary to Victoria, will get under way during the next month, Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, announced to-day after he had completed arrangements for an early start on the big project.

The road will be built by day labor under the direct supervision of the Public Works Department, Dr. Sutherland announced. Plant to be used in the work has been ordered and part of it is in readiness for early use here now. The remainder will arrive in the next few days.

TO START SLASHING

Construction will commence at the end of the present road, near Jordan River. With a base there, road gangs will commence to push the new highway westward along the coast, following a line laid out by engineers last year. This work will get under way some time in April, within thirty days from now, Dr. Sutherland said.

The first phase of the work will consist of slashing the route to be followed. Heavy timber and underbrush must be removed from the line laid out by engineers, and bridges across creeks and ravines will be built as this work proceeds. After this slashing process the construction of the road itself will get under way.

PLAN OTHER CAMPS

While the first camp will be established at the end of the present road, near Jordan River, other bases will be created along the route at convenient points. This will enable the movement of supplies to the road builders by water, it was explained.

"There will be no delay over this work," Dr. Sutherland declared. "All preparations for the commencement of construction, including the purchase of a very complete plant, have been made and within thirty days the project will be under way."

SOVIET ARMS PLAN TOO EARLY, STATES DELEGATE OF U.S.

Gibson Tells Conference Other Disarmament Schemes Offer Most Hope

Geneva, March 21—The United States does not adhere at this time to such radical measures as the Soviet project for complete disarmament, Hugh S. Gibson, head of the United States delegation here, said to-day.

Mr. Gibson took the floor at the meeting of the Preparatory Commission on Disarmament to remove any doubt as to the attitude of his country.

"The United States," he said, "is engaged sincerely in an effort to obtain a general agreement, which is thought to be one of the best ways of preparing for disarmament, but my Government does not at this time adhere to such radical measures as the Soviet proposal."

Mr. Gibson said his delegation did not feel justified in supporting a proposal to delay work on projects already outlined in order to consider the radical measure before the commission.

Mr. Gibson argued that general or regional pacts, such as Washington was sincerely advocating, were thought to be calculated to make disarmament easier and his delegation would lack sincerity if at the same time it gave support to a disarmament plan which it regarded as impractical.

Mr. Gibson said it was the opinion of the United States delegates that the best way to hasten the work of the Preparatory Commission was to continue along lines already laid.

Jonkheer Rutgers of Holland and E. Heenings of Sweden opened the debate on the project with declarations to the effect that the plan was not realizable.

Results of British Football Contests

London, March 21.—Football games to-day resulted as follows:

ENGLISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION
Middlesbrough 0, Aston Villa 0.
THIRD DIVISION
Southern Section
Swindon 3, Bournemouth 2.
Northern Section
Crewe 0, Lincoln 0.
SCOTTISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION
Cowdenbeath 3, Motherwell 4.
SCOTTISH LEAGUE—SECOND DIVISION
Clydebank 2, Arthurlie 0.
RUGBY UNION
Bristol 15, London Irish 0.
RUGBY LEAGUE
York 32, Battley 3.
Swinton 11, St. Helen's Recs. 5.
Featherstone 11, Dewsbury 5.

VANCOUVER DEATH IS NOT EXPLAINED

Sailor Found in Box Near Grain Elevator Died Without Making Statement

Vancouver, March 21.—A story which may never be told lies behind the death of John McCool, thirty-eight, Irish seaman, who died in a hospital here yesterday.

Emaciated, with wild eyes and a week's growth of beard, McCool was taken to police headquarters yesterday afternoon after his arrest near the Terminal Elevator on a charge of vagrancy.

The man, over six feet in height, but a mere skeleton, was found lying in a box near the elevator, his quarters being so cramped that it was necessary for the police to pry away the sides of the wood before they could extricate its occupant. It was then seen he was in such a weakened state he could not move, and he was carried to the patrol wagon and taken to the police station.

CALLED FOR WATER

On arrival there he repeatedly cried: "Aqua," and on being given water, drank greedily, it being some time, however, before he was able to give his name to the officers.

Shortly after being placed in a room at headquarters, he was noticed to be sinking and was at once sent to a hospital, where he died without disclosing the cause of his terrible condition.

FIGHTING SPEECH BY MRS M. E. SMITH DELIGHTS SAANICH

Audience Applauds as Lady Member of Legislature Tells of Liberal Policies

Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith, M.P.P., last night addressed an enthusiastic and crowded audience attending the annual meeting of the Saanich Liberal Association and earned rounds of applause as she described the attainments of Liberalism since the party was entrusted with the government of British Columbia in 1916.

Mrs. Smith recalled that the first duty of the new Liberal government in 1916, had been to borrow millions of dollars to pay the debts of its predecessors in office. She contrasted this condition with to-day, when British Columbia borrows funds cheaper than any other province.

Mrs. Smith told of the social legislation enacted by the Liberal Government, citing a long array of laws such as the Equal Guardianship Act, the Minimum Wage Act and the Mothers' Pensions Act. The latter measure was declared to be the broadest in existence, giving benefits to many mothers beside widows. Mrs. Smith's assertion that "there are no illegitimate children though there may be illegitimate parents," aroused rounds of applause, coupled with laughter, when she sketched a verbal picture of Joshua Hinchliffe, M.P.P., being "submerged in crocodile tears" as he objected to provincial aid being given unmarried mothers.

PENSIONS DESPITE TORIES

Mrs. Smith poured scorn on the Senate of Canada for having thrown out old age pensions in 1925, while themselves drawing pensions of $4,000 yearly with perquisites. She considered that Tory inspired course had been a major factor in the defeat of the Conservative Party in the last Federal elections. A series of dramatic incidents were reviewed by the speaker to indicate the value placed on pensions by aged beneficiaries.

"What with mothers' pensions and old age pensions we are spending $1,000,000 in this year alone," she said.

Health insurance and maternity benefit were touched upon, Mrs. Smith declaring these aids would have to be instituted in the near future, having been agitated for by women's organizations for more than twenty years.

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SIX WORKERS KILLED

Mueckenberg, Saxony, March 21.—Six workmen were killed and two were injured when an elevator crane under construction at the Brown Company's coal works here collapsed during a storm.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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HOUSE SOON TO HAVE REPORT ON JUDGES' SALARIES

Commons Appoints Committee to Consider Proposals For Increases

Premier Says Inquiry Best Plan; Proposal Opposed By Bennett

Ottawa, March 21—A special committee of fifteen members of the House of Commons will investigate the question of increased salaries for the judges of Canada. After a two-hour discussion, the House yesterday afternoon carried a Government motion for the appointment of a committee by a majority of fifty-three, the division being 111 to 58.

The fifty-eight who voted against the plan were Conservatives, all the others in the House voting for the motion.

PREMIER'S STATEMENT

Premier King stated that on several occasion it had been suggested the Government should take Parliament into its confidence before bringing down legislation. If all the members of the House belonged to the legal profession the question would not be hard to decide. Members of the House and people of the country had doubts on the question of increasing the salaries of the judges and for this reason the Government believed the only proper course to follow was to appoint the committee. The Government was following a precedent established elsewhere, said the Premier.

In offering the motion, Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice, said a delegation of county judges had submitted claims for larger remuneration to the Government, and the promise had been made to the deputation that the matter would be placed before Parliament. In Mr. Lapointe's opinion, Parliament was the proper body to decide the question.

BENNETT'S VIEWS

Hon. R. B. Bennett, Conservative leader, opposed the appointment of a committee. He had on several occasions taken the stand that the salaries paid to judges were not commensurate with their services and the dignity of their position, he said.

He believed the appointment of a committee before which individuals would appear and papers would be produced would be fraught with the greatest possibilities of disaster.

He said the facts were before the Government.

"All that is necessary," said Mr. Bennett, "is to amend the Judges Act, and that can be done by the Government bringing down the proper legislation."

He believed the majority of the members on the Opposition side of the House would be glad to give support to such a bill.

LIGHT OF INQUIRY

J. S. Woodsworth, Labor, Winnipeg North Centre, interrupted to inquire if the remarks of the Conservative Leader implied the question was one which could not stand the light of an investigation.

"Oh, no," shouted several members.

Mr. Bennett said Mr. Woodsworth's suggestion was entirely incorrect.

OPEN INQUIRY

Hon. Lucien Cannon, Solicitor-General, said the Government had decided that Parliament, through a committee, should inquire into the matter, get all information necessary and submit a report. If the salaries were to be increased, let the matter be treated in a frank and sincere manner.

Leon J. Ladner, Conservative, South Vancouver, asked if it was suggested the judges should appear before the Commons committee.

Mr. Cannon replied in the negative.

SENTENCE OF DEATH

New York, March 21.—Thomas "Red" Moran last night was found guilty by a jury for the second time of murder in the first degree for the shooting of two policemen because he feared arrest for a series of drug store robberies. The verdict automatically carries a death sentence.

FIRE IN WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, March 21.—Damage estimated at $11,000 was done by fire which badly damaged a local theatre here early yesterday. Firemen fought the blaze for more than two hours before it was extinguished. The outbreak, firemen state, was the result of an explosion.

PUBLIC OPINION FAVORS "HUSKY"

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FIGHTING SPEECH BY MRS. M. E. SMITH DELIGHTS SAANICH

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Traveling libraries, correspondence schools and other aids for isolated settlers are in operation with great success, children taught by mail passing all the usual examinations.

HON. T. D. PATTULLO PRAISED

Establishment of the Provincial University, although costly, will be entirely repaid to the Province by sale of lands, Mrs. Smith said in praising Hon. Mr. Pattullo for his efficient handling of the lands of the university endowment.

The Deserted Mothers' Act, the Adoption Act and the Testators Family's Act were mentioned by Mrs. Smith as further points of the social legislation attained by British Columbia under Liberal guidance.

Mrs. Smith told of the Department of Industries, instituted to give employment to returned men, at a time when courageous action was essential. She was confident the Province will recoup eighty-five per cent of the money invested in aiding new industries, and believed the people to be satisfied with the administration of the department.

FEARLESS GOVERNMENT

"The people of British Columbia want a fearless government, not a fearful one, they are tired of this continuous Tory whine of something being wrong somewhere. They are tired of this constant cry for a tariff wall.

"Where would we have been to-day, instead of being the seventh trading nation of the world, if we had had a high board fence around us, which keeps things in as well as kept things out. What would we have done last year, with 600,000,000 bushels of wheat of which we could only consume 55,000,000 bushels?" said Mrs. Smith, remarking that while Tories bewail departure of Canadians to the United States, they refuse to note the rush homeward of Canadians, desiring to share the prosperity so contrasting to the slackening of industry in the United States.

Mrs. Smith closed with an appeal to all Liberals in Saanich to campaign for election of Mr. Whittaker, pointing out that elections cannot be won by the efforts of the candidate alone. She was confident that Premier MacLean would be returned to office when the Government appeals to the voters, and forecasted an era of great success for the Province, believing that the Premier will be successful in his efforts to sell the Pacific Great Eastern Railway.

Rounds of applause greeted Mrs. Smith's conclusion, and also supported the vote of thanks moved by Mrs. J. McN. Beckett, and seconded by A. W. Arnup.

Soft Music From Pipe Organ Augments Applause for "Dr." Hall

People of Toronto are flocking in thousands to hear "Doctor" Alfred Hall, "psychologist," and one-time resident of this city, according to reports in The Toronto Star. At his lecture, "Real Living," delivered at Massey Hall, the report in The Toronto Star says an accompaniment of soft music from a pipe organ, accompanied the outbursts of applause.

With a charge against him, instigated by the Immigration Department, still to be heard he is continuing his lectures on a stage smothered with flowers.

The report of "Dr." Hall's lecture at Massey Hall as it appears in The Toronto Star follows:

"'Real Living'—the lecture as delivered by Dr. Alfred Hall, psychologist, in Massey Hall last night was startling—startlingly eloquent of the faith in him implicitly placed by the nearly two thousand people who thronged to hear his discourse.

"Although during the last week there have been certain statements made, and a charge laid against him by the police at the instigation of the Immigration Department, not the slightest hint of this pervaded Massey Hall last night—there was none of the rowdy element—nothing but the warmest enthusiasm and applause at his appearance. No man released on bail from a court charge ever had a more wholehearted and sincere welcome.

"At the main door, where Dr. Hall took up his position following his lecture, the crowds swarmed about him, grasping his hand warmly, and congratulated him. There was nothing tepid or lukewarm about his admirers—in their minds there was no doubt.

SMOTHER OF BLOOMS

"Whatever the man, last night's lecture on "Real Living" was hard, common sense, in spite of the fact that it was delivered in a setting of almost semi-medievalism. "Psychology" as dished up by Dr. Hall flies ostensibly before theological and scriptural winds but the setting savors not a little of the invocations of some long forgotten pagan rites. The stage was smothered in flowers, grouped in baskets. Behind this were twenty prominent Toronto psychologists, headed by Dr. J. A. Williams, who acted as chairman and who is president of the Applied Psychology Club of Toronto. In the central part of the proscenium was a sort of glorified lectern, enveloped in flowers and upon either side of which stood guardian three lonely, flickering candles, tridently grouped. The lights in the body of the house were extinguished. Only the red and blue glow of the footlights bathed the lecturer and flowers in a glamor of eery splendor.

"Through circumstances over which he had no control the doctor was unable to wear his attractive gown, but, clad in the immaculate raiment of a morning coat and grey trousers, he delivered his lecture with the grace of commingled ease and earnestness. In spite of the fact that the address had been opened by the incantation of the Lord's Prayer, the singing of God Save the King and a pervading flavor that was unquestionably religious one could not entirely shake off the romantic touch of mysticism and sombre ritual that seemed to flood it with its gilded shadows. In the soft lights of the stage, the piled lectern, the semi-circular form of earnest faces and the flickering candle light, all seemed more than suggestive of some priest delivering an oracular address. Anything pagan about the setting, however, was thoroughly dispelled by the doctor's address.

"Following the meditation of silence, when complete silence was observed for about a minute, the Lord's Prayer, and the singing of the doxology, the doctor stepped from the rear ring of the psychologists to the forefront of the stage. He was greeted by a rousing round of applause.

"This will not be the last public meeting I will carry on in Toronto,' declared Doctor Hall significantly. 'It seems to me that Toronto wants psychology,' he continued. 'It is going to afford me great pleasure to remain in your midst and meet you again in this auditorium next Sunday night.

"'I thought I would give you the opportunity of seeing me,' continued the doctor significantly, 'not as pictured in one of our good afternoon papers, but show you that the psychologist might appear unaccompanied by the images of rogues and criminals.'

ORGAN MOANS

"Real Living" was delivered by Dr. Hall in a subdued light, only the eternal glow of the vari-colored footlights bathing the kaleidoscopic shades of the piled flowers and the speaker in a ritualistic glamor. During the entire recital the organ, in an undertone, moaned what might have either been an acclaim or a lament. It detracted nothing from the eery witchery of the scene but seemed rather to enhance the underlying train of rapt and uncertain magic.

"According to the doctor the three salient factors of real life were "living," "smiling" and "loving." Mankind, he stated, came into the world to fill a definite purpose—to serve! The quicker we realize we haven't come into the world to take, to take all the time, the quicker we will realize we haven't come here to cut—to cut and destroy, but to construct—not destroy. When you realize, my friends, pointed out the speaker, that construction and not destruction is the keynote of existence then you may sit back and say 'I am living.'"

At the end of the programme the doctor received many personal expressions of congratulation. "I have received over 1,000 telephone messages of congratulation," the doctor told The Star. A telegram of congratulation from the American Society of Psychological Research thanking Toronto people for the care of 'their dean' was also read out to the gathering."

SOVIET ASKED TO EXPLAIN ITS PLAN

British Delegate at Geneva Requests Assurances on Disarmament Proposal

Geneva, March 21.—Lord Cushenden, who represents Great Britain at the sessions of the Preparatory Commission on Disarmament, had several questions yesterday for Maxim Litvinoff, head of the Russian delegation, whose demands for total disarmament was up for discussion. Lord Cushenden, telling M. Litvinoff he was going to be frank, declared that during the seven years the League of Nations had been working, the Moscow Government had lost no occasion to revile the League. Consequently he thought it proper to ask the Soviet representative what had suddenly caused the change of heart.

The Soviet plan, Lord Cushenden charged, was designed to wreck the League, which was systematically slighted, and some provisions in the plan would require revision of the covenant.

He quoted an article from the Soviet official organ, published since the Soviet proposal was submitted, in which it was said the object of the Soviet plan was only to unmask capitalistic states.

"I must ask the Soviet delegate to explain," said Lord Cushenden.

CIVIL WAR

He asked whether the Soviet had set its face against civil war as well as international war, and added: "I think it is necessary, before proceeding any farther, to have an assurance from the Soviet whether it is ready to undertake to leave it to other countries to work out their destiny without interference."

"I am not prepared to be a party to any sabotage of the Russian proposals," declared Lord Cushenden. "They deserve careful consideration. But if there is any sabotage, it is sabotage of the League of Nations."

NOT REGISTERED

Analyzing several articles in the Russian draft, Lord Cushenden said no allusion was made in it whatever to the League and the document had not been registered with the League secretariat. The Russians, he thought, might have paid a harmless compliment to the League, for it was unnecessary to insult it in this way.

The British delegate proceeded to show the necessity for examining the Soviet proposals clause by clause. He did not think it necessary to reject the whole convention for there were some articles which might form basis for discussion.

"We should neither accept nor reject it," he declared.

At one point in his speech Lord Cushenden, looking at M. Litvinoff, said:

"The Soviet delegation is not here to help the League solve the disarmament problem. We have a right to ask what the real motive of the Soviet is."

He then referred to Mr. Litvinoff's attack on Monday on the work of the League, when the Soviet Assistant Commissar of Foreign Affairs asserted the only material proposal the League had considered would allow some countries to keep 2,000,000 men under arms and had decried the League generally.

WASHINGTON TREATY

Replying to M. Litvinoff's reference to the futility of the League efforts, he said:

"M. Litvinoff seems never to have heard of Washington, where we agreed to reduce the tonnage of big warships. He has never heard of our offer to reduce tonnage further, nor of our proposal to suppress submarines."

The League of Nations, Lord Cushenden pointed out, had been studiously omitted from the Soviet documents, as well as mention of Geneva. He took this as suggesting Russia pretended to set up a rival organization which might supersede the League in time.

Lord Cushenden's statement created something of a sensation among the assembled delegates.

SOCIAL SECURITY

General de Marinis for Italy and Count Clauseel for France expressed anxiety about the question of "social security," which in their opinion was quite as important as security of frontiers.

Baron Saito for Japan spoke in the same vein, completely changing the atmosphere of the committee room, where the Soviet delegates's speech had made a certain impression on Monday.

RIDDELL SPEAKS

Dr. W. A. Riddell, Canadian representative, paid tribute to the British delegate's masterly criticism of the Russian draft. He declared it was absolutely necessary the governments should examine the Russian proposals before they were considered by the League. He was without instructions from his Government on the subject.

DR. SEDGEWICK TO LECTURE HERE

The second lecture of the series which is being sponsored by the University Women's Club takes place on Friday, March 23, at 8 p.m. Dr. Sedgewick of the University of British Columbia will lecture on "Dramatic Irony." Dr. Sedgewick is well-known to Victoria audiences.

It is expected that there will be a large number on Friday evening who will avail themselves of the opportunity afforded to hear Dr. Sedgewick lecture on a subject so delightful. This lecture has been changed from the original date in April as has been previously announced. The place is the the auditorium of Girls' Central School on Yates Street, Friday, March 23, at 8 o'clock.

DARWIN WAS RIGHT

Paris, March 21.—The last word in female attire, on exhibition here, is a broadcloth coat trimmed with silver fox. It has a fur tail attached to the hem at the middle of the back. The price is $2,000.

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YOUTHS ON RAIL SPEEDER CAUGHT AND PLAN ENDED

Four Heading For Ottawa From Montreal Overtaken By Police in Locomotive

Montreal, March 21—A regular movie thriller was enacted by the Canadian Pacific Railway police yesterday when they pursued and captured a quartette of young men who had stolen a motor-driven work car with the intention of making their way to Ottawa.

The chase was made in a locomotive.

The youths had decided to seek their fortune on farms in the district of Ottawa. Having no money, they secured a small motor driven work car and stepped on the gas. They disregarded all signals and semaphores.

As they passed South Junction, some distance from Montreal, a horrified telegraph operator, aware the boys would run into an oncoming train in a short time, notified headquarters. A locomotive was immediately requisitioned from the Outremont yard and the chase began, four constables accompanying the engine crew. Finding the pace set by the pursuers too hot for them, the fugitives abandoned the little car as they reached Lachine bridge, twelve miles from Montreal, and took to their heels.

CAUGHT AT LAST

The policemen, thinking they were chasing a gang of bandits, pulled out their revolvers and continued the hunt afoot. The pursuit went on merrily for two miles, until the hunters closed in on their prey near St. Constant, a village across the river, two miles from Lachine bridge. The boys put up no resistance and were taken back to Montreal.

Appearing before Judge Enright, they were charged with theft and obstructing a right of way. They gave their names as George Talmadge, George Taylor, Rene Dufault and Raoul Gerbert. They range in age between fifteen and eighteen years. Sentence will be passed upon them later.

The work car was removed from the tracks ten minutes before a freight was scheduled to reach the spot.

RACETRACK HEARS ECHO OF TEAPOT DOME OIL DEALS

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MUCH CRITICISM

In communications sent yesterday from Baltimore to the officials of the four racing establishments in Maryland—Pimlico, Bowie, Havre de Grace and Laurel—the Maryland Commissioners said:

"In view of the widespread adverse criticism that has resulted from pending court proceedings and the investigation of the United States Senate committee regarding the action of Harry F. Sinclair, the commission deems it advisable for your association not to permit the starting of any horse owned by or to be run under the name of Mr. Sinclair or the Rancocas Stables at your coming meetings until further action of the commission."

Interest is now directed as to whether the New York and Kentucky racing bodies will take official cognizance of the procedure of the Maryland Commission. While the Maryland Commissioners pointed out it was purely a state affair, and that no official communication would be sent to the Kentucky or New York racing authorities, there was some speculation to-day as to what course would be taken outside of Maryland.

Algernoon Daingerfield, assistant secretary of the Jockey Club, the controlling power of racing in New York, said:

"If the matter comes up officially from the Maryland Commission it will be presented at the meeting of the stewards. We have no official communication, and there is no movement to bar Sinclair's horse here. Under the rules of racing we have working agreements with the ruling bodies of other states, but only as to fraud in connection with racing and to suspension of jockeys for foul riding."

Polk Lafonne, chairman of the Kentucky Racing Commission, said his associates had at no time considered barring the Sinclair horses from Kentucky tracks.

Sam Hildreth, who directs the Rancocas Stables' activities, said:

"I don't know what it all means, and of course I have nothing to say for the present. We have made some entries for the stakes in Maryland, and I always have understood that an entry in a stake amounted to a contract."

Sinclair maintains one of the biggest stables in the United States, with an investment of more than $2,000,000 in his horses and breeding farm. He has more than sixty horses in training, forty of which are two-year-olds.

UNSATISFACTORY MILL CONDITIONS ON ISLAND CHARGED

Vancouver, March 21—Conditions in mills at Lapore and Sooke Lake, Vancouver Island, were reported unsatisfactory by delegates of the Mill Workers' Union at the regular meeting of the Vancouver and New Westminster District Trades and Labor Council last night. Men returning from the Island had reported that at Lapore the employers were evading the Minimum Wage Act by asking settlers, who sought employment, to sign statements to the effect that they were not able to do a full eight-hour-day's work.

At Sooke, it was reported, men in a mill were working nine hours for the eight-hour rate. Sanitary conditions there also were reported by the mill workers as being deplorable.

The matter was referred to the executive of the council for action.

Harding Estate Had No Bonds Of Oil Transactions

St. Louis, Mo., March 21.—A St. Louis Post-Dispatch staff correspondent reports an inspection of the records of the estate of the late President Harding, made by him at Marion, Ohio, established that he possessed none of the $3,080,000 worth of Continental Trading Company Liberty Bonds involved in the United States Senate's Teapot Dome oil investigation.

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To-morrow evening at 8 o'clock the choir of the First Baptist Church, assisted by well-known artists of the city, will give a concert in the Sunday school hall. The choir will render three very fine part songs and a male quartette consisting of Messrs. Dinsmore, Honeychurch, Boorman and Wade will contribute a humorous number.

The vocal soloists taking part are Mrs. Arthur Dowell, George Guy and Percy Edmonds. Among the instrumentalists are Miss Dorothy Lea, Miss Gladys Lee and Miss May Warnock, assisted by Jack Smith at the piano; J. Jones in flute solos, and Miss Florence Collins and Miss Jessie Jones in pianoforte duets. W. Harkness, who gained a reputation throughout the city as a magician, will give a magical entertainment.

The following is the programme: "The Bell Ringers" (Macfarren), the choir; vocal solo, "I Know a Lovely Garden" (D'Hardelot), George Guy; flute solo, "Caprice de Concert" (Terschak), J. Jones; vocal solo, "Like Stars Above" (Squire), Mrs. Arthur Dowell; male quartette, "Poor Ned" (Koerner), Messrs. Dinsmore, Honeychurch, Boorman and Wade; vocal solo, "Across the Blue Sea" (Lord Henry Somerset), George Guy; pianoforte duet, "Il Trovatore" (Verdi), Miss Florence Collins and Miss Jessie Jones; vocal solo, selected, Percy Edmonds; mandolin trio, "Simple Aveu" (Thome), Miss Dorothy and Gladys Lea and Miss May Warnock; "The Mill" (Jensen), the Choir; flute solo, "Couers et Fleurs" (Tobani), J. Jones; vocal solo, "Yesterday and To-day" (Spross), Mrs. Arthur Dowell; male quartette, "Spanish Serenade" (Elgar); pianoforte duet, "Sunflower Dance" (Clymont); magical entertainment by W. Harkness, I.M.B.; mandolin trio, "Capitola March" (Losey); mandolin trio, "Star of Descending Night" (Emerson); "God Save the King."

Move to Collect All Revenues Told Of at Inquiry

Ottawa, March 21.—Official action is being taken in regard to all concerns recommended for investigation or prosecution in the report of the Customs Inquiry Commission, Hon. W. D. Euler, Minister of National Revenue, announced in the House this afternoon.

There were some 100 odd firms under investigation or prosecution, he said. In a number of instances the money due the department had been paid.

"As far as the department of national revenue is concerned, we will collect every dollar that is owing to the department by any concern or individual," said Mr. Euler.

Instructions had been given to counsel to prosecute Harry Bronffman of the Bronffman liquor interests, who had operated in different parts of Canada, for alleged bribery of a customs official in Winnipeg, said Mr. Euler. Unfortunately some delay had been caused by the prolonged illness of the chief witness for the prosecution, an officer of the Customs Department.

U.B.C. PROFESSOR TO TELL HISTORY OF WORLD HERE

Professor M. Y. Williams of the University of British Columbia will give an illustrated address on the "History of the Earth From the Precambian to Recent Times." Professor Williams will outline the geological and biological changes which have taken place on the earth from the first appearance of life to the present time.

The lecturer is a graduate of Queen's and Yale Universities, and is an authority on palecontology, and has made an exhaustive study of dinosaurs and the extinct reptiles which once inhabited Alberta. Special reference will be made to this period of the earth's history.

The lecture, presented at the request of the Royal Astronomical Society will be given in Victoria College, Friday, March 23, at 8 p.m. Members of the scientific societies and the general public are invited to attend.

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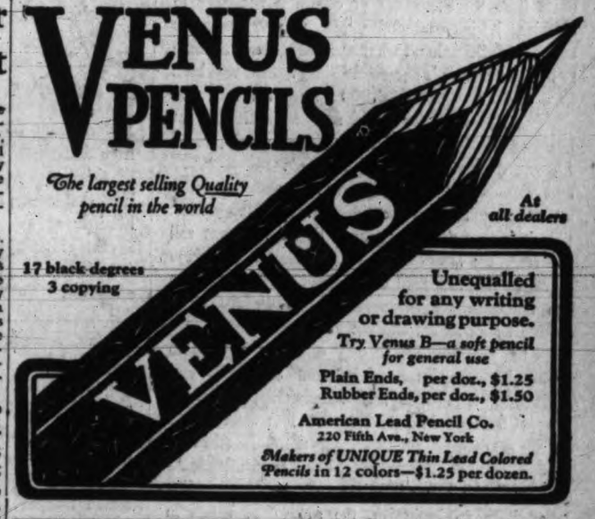

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Greek Finances Declared Gaining

Athens, Greece, March 21.—Speaking on the budget, George Kappandaris, Minister of Finance, said to-day that Greece had escaped from the precipice. The country, he asserted, had not a cent of floating debt, would have no deficit this year and would stabilize its currency.

MUST LEAVE BRUSSELS

London, March 21. — An Exchange Telegraph Company dispatch from Brussels says the police of that city have invited Alexander Subkoff, husband of ex-Princess Victoria of Schaumburg-Lippe, sister of the former German Emperor, to leave Brussels as quickly as he can arrange to do so. It is said, however, that they have permitted him to remain until he recovers from a case of influenza he is reported to have contracted.

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ISLAND TO GET GIANT PAPER MILL AS DAM ON NIMPKISH IS APPROVED

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Fisheries Department, to prescribe the type of fishway which must be erected to carry the salmon past the proposed dam. Should the company refuse to follow the instructions of the Fisheries Department, the provincial water license will lapse, but as a matter of fact the company has made in clear that it is willing to meet fully the wishes of the Dominion.

BIG DAM PLANNED

Issuance of the provincial water licenses, after a recent hearing before Major J. C. MacDonald, Controller of Water Rights, opens the way for the creation of one of the biggest industries in British Columbia. The Canadian Forest Products Company proposes to erect a 200-foot dam about two and a half miles up the Nimpkish from the east coast of Vancouver Island, and to raise the level of Nimpkish Lake substantially. This will entail the flooding of an area of low-lying timber land at the head of the lake, which will be increased in size from ten to fourteen per cent. The result will be the creation of a waterpower sufficient to operate the giant pulp and paper mill which the concern proposes to erect at some point on the coast. While the plans of the company have not been announced in detail, it has been understood here that sufficient money will be spent on the mill to make it one of the largest pulp and paper plants on this coast. With waterpower assured under the licenses which are being issued here, it is expected the scheme will proceed without delay.

RIGHTS PROTECTED

The rights of interests whose land or property will be affected by the raising of Nimpkish Lake and the flooding of surrounding territory will be protected under legislation covering such cases, it was explained. The Canadian Forest Products concern, of course, will compensate all such interests. It will deal with the Indians living in the district through the Indian Department at Ottawa, which represented the natives at the hearing of the water license application in Victoria recently. The Indians are chiefly interested in the Nimpkish salmon run on which they depend for food. It will be for the Dominion Government to specify exactly how this run is to be preserved with a large dam across the Nimpkish.

Cascara is Your Doctor's Choice

When physicians pronounce cascara the PERFECT laxative—why experiment with things that lash the system into action? Cascara, you know, is the bark of a tree. A natural and normal stimulus to the bowels.

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A modern drugstore must stock many laxatives, but for your own good the druggist would rather have you ask for the inexpensive little box of cascarets than anything else.

CASCARETS
They Work While You Sleep!

Vancouver Youth Stabbed in Fight

Vancouver, March 21.—With a serious wound in one thigh, alleged to have been inflicted during an altercation with another youth, a young man whose name is given as Hugh G. Davies and whose address the police have not yet ascertained, lies in St. Paul's Hospital here while the authorities are seeking his assailant.

According to the information received by the police, a quarrel between several youths took place on Dunsmuir Street, blows being struck, when suddenly Davies put his hand to his thigh and fell to the sidewalk, blood gushing from a knife wound.

BANK DISCUSSION

Ottawa, March 21—Governor Harding of the United States Federal Reserve Board will appear before the banking and commerce committee of the House of Commons next Wednesday. He will be examined on the resolution of J. S. Woodsworth, Labor, Winnipeg North Centre, calling for the study of possible changes in the Canadian banking system. Announcement to this effect was made at the sitting of the committee to-day.

STUDENT FLYER IN NASTY CRASH

Dalby B. Morkill of Vancouver Has Narrow Escape From Death

Vancouver, March 21.—In full view of many spectators, Dalby B. Morkill, student flyer of 812 Robson Street, narrowly escaped serious injury or death by drowning Monday afternoon at 4.30 o'clock when a Moth seaplane which he was piloting plunged into English Bay opposite Kitsilano Beach. He suffered slight injuries to his face and minor shock from immersion.

Mr. Morkill, who is president of the B.C. Surveyors' Association, was making a landing in the course of his first solo flight, after four months of instruction. The mishap is attributed to miscalculation of distance.

The plane had been cruising over the bay for some time, attaining a high altitude, and attracting the attention of people on the shore promenades.

As it was returning for the second landing in the hands of the lone student pilot, it seemed suddenly to go out of control.

The pontoons of the craft plunged beneath the surface of the water, throwing the tail of the plane over and causing the machine to crumple in a half-submerged mass of torn and broken fuselage.

Mr. Morkill succeeded in extricating himself and clung to the wreckage, while a tug, with E. C. W. Dobbin, instructor; L. A. Dobbin, manager of Dominion Airways Limited, owners of the plane, quickly rescued the flyer. The tug was only forty feet away when the accident occurred.

Approximately $300 damage was caused to the plane, according to L. A. Dobbin, manager.

Mr. Morkill is a brother of Mr. Alan Morkill, manager of the Johnson Street branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce.

Dad's Lament

"What is a bachelor, daddie?"

"A bachelor, my boy, is a man who looks before he leaps—and then doesn't leap."

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TECHNICAL EDUCATION

THOSE WHO HEARD MR. J. G. LISTER, principal of the Vancouver Technical School, at the public meeting in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium yesterday afternoon must have left the building fully convinced that a technical school in any community is not only a necessity but a first-class investment. The speaker quoted a number of instances where technical training had helped young men who were quite unsuited for academic study. In addition to this—convincing proof of the outstanding success attending technical education in Vancouver—we know that something like $550,000 is to be expended on a new school there.

The taxpayers of Victoria soon are to decide whether they will authorize the expenditure of $145,000 for the building and equipment of an institution of this kind. The gross cost would amount to $250,000; but the Government's grant for the building would be $80,000 and for the equipment $25,000. To understand the merit of this proposal from the standpoint of cost it is necessary to examine it in conjunction with present conditions at the High School and what soon will have to be done to improve them. The present High School was built at a cost of about $500,000 before the war. A similar building to-day could not be constructed for less than $750,000. Accommodation was provided for one thousand pupils. The 1928 roll is 1,207 and instruction has to be given in basement rooms to meet the demands of the situation. In a very short time it is reasonable to assume that the student roll will reach the 1,500 mark. Now there are two ways in which this condition can be met. Our taxpayers can authorize the expenditure of $145,000 on a technical high school and use the grant of $105,000 from the Government, or they can look forward to the early expenditure of between $350,000 and $400,000 to furnish new accommodation for at least 500 High School students. But there would be no government assistance for this. In terms of finance, then, are the taxpayers going to spend $350,000 or $400,000 of their own money and refuse to establish an institution, the success of which in Vancouver, for instance—to say nothing of many other cities on this continent and hundreds in the Old World—has been strikingly proved, or are they going to save $205,000 of their own money, still retain an efficient High School for academic training, and provide an outlet for the hundreds of our young workers who are commercially and mechanically inclined? This is the question the taxpayers must decide when they vote on the by-law next month.

Another important point that should be borne in mind is that at the present time there are 316 pupils in the commercial department of the High School who would be immediately transferred to a technical school if they had the chance. There are also 177 pupils receiving a limited amount of technical training in the work shops. These, too, would go to the technical school. During the last two years, moreover, the attendance in the commercial classes has increased forty-seven per cent., in the technical classes twenty-one per cent., and in arts only seven per cent. Here we have about 500 pupils who would go from the High School to the technical school and thus make room for the normal addition to the student roll of the former. Nor should it be forgotten, of course, that, with the establishment of a technical school, the staff at the High School would be reduced by about seventeen instructors. Of the twenty-two technical trainers who would be required, therefore, seventeen would be ready. If no technical school should be established, however, they still would have to remain on the High School payroll.

Now as to annual operation, a fairly liberal estimate puts it at $17,425. This includes overhead, such as janitorial service, fuel, light, and maintenance increase. In other words, to build, equip, maintain, and operate the proposed institution, the taxpayer would be called upon to foot an annual bill of forty-five cents on every $1,000 investment. The morning paper says it would mean an annual liability of $50,000 in addition to present educational costs. Obviously it is merely guessing; it has not gone into the matter. Our contemporary's attitude towards education generally is mediaeval.

We have dealt with the financial end of the question. There is a still more important side. A technical high school is an institution in which the young workers of to-morrow, the youth into whose charge in a very few years the conduct of the business of this community will be entrusted, will be trained. They claim the right to all the opportunities that will equip them for service in the commercial and industrial realm. They do not wish to be square pegs in rounds holes. They realize the foolishness of wasting valuable years and entailing the cost of study in courses for which they are not suited.

Technical education is for the young man and young woman who must have the best training at the least cost. To the family of moderate or scant means it is of vital concern.

"I DO NOT CHOOSE"

NO PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED States in recent years has given the press and public of that country more material for comment in as few words as Mr. Coolidge did when he said "I do not choose to run." Thousands of cartoons have been based upon it and the punster has had the time of his life about it. The more serious-minded have read all sorts of meanings into it; others have said outright that it is just a bluff and that, when the time comes, "I do not choose" will be given the meaning which its author had in mind when he gave his brief statement so dramatically to newspaper correspondents some months ago. All of which Mr. Coolidge has listened to in silence and read without comment—for publication.

Another factor now seems to have taken a hand, however; a dispatch from Washington says that Mr. Coolidge is aroused over stock market reports that he soon is to renounce his "I do not choose" statement and become a candidate for re-election. We learn that financial agencies are circulating these reports and that they have based them upon certain disquieting conflicts within the ranks of his own party, seeking to convey the impression that the President would rather try his luck again and offer himself as a compromise to these warring elements. The indications are, however, that Mr. Coolidge meant what he said, that "I do not choose to run" means "I will not run." Whatever it may mean, the politician, the artist, the punster, and the newspapers everywhere ought to be grateful to him for giving them a phrase with which to speculate during the off season.

SMART FINANCING

UNLESS HE USES A METHOD OF CALculation which differs altogether, for instance, from that which Premier MacLean adopts in respect of the finances of British Columbia, we have an idea that when M. George Kaphandaris, Greece's Minister of Finance, says that his country has not a cent of floating debt and would not have a deficit this year, he is, to say the least, tremendously optimistic. To balance budgets in Europe, even at this stage after the war, requires much expert bookkeeping, let alone the elimination of every cent of floating debt.

At the end of the fiscal year of 1926 the internal debt of Greece amounted to 8,553,490,778 drachma, approximately $1,720,000,000, and of this amount the Statesman's Year Book says 947,618,165 drachma, or roughly $190,000,000, represented floating debt. The external debt, moreover, is given as 2,249,881,063 drachma, or about $450,000,000, including £72,072,222, $48,595,500, and 222,407,258 French francs. But if Mr. Kaphandaris has been able to do all he says he has done, we might suggest that our Ministers of Finance in this country should communicate with him and find out how he has done it so quickly—since 1926. The dispatch from Athens suggests that the Greek Government is getting ready for a fine, big, fat "touch."

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

UNIVERSITY COSTS

(From The Vancouver Daily Province)

Figures wrongly interpreted or carelessly manipulated are capable of telling the weirdest stories. Two unfortunate errors have been promulgated within the past few days in figures connected with the financing of the University of British Columbia.

The first mistake was made in an editorial— a quite unsympathetic editorial, too—in The Victoria Colonist. The Colonist was out to prove that the University was costing the Province too much, and running back to 1910, when the appropriation was only $7,836, it added all the sums granted to the University in the way of annual upkeep, loans, removal expenses, and so forth, and found they would amount, with the appropriations for next year, to well over $10,000,000. The outlay for next year, it figured, taking in the appropriation, a loan arranged for and the unexpended portion of a previous loan, would be $1,000,000 or $600 per student, which it considered extremely high.

That figure is high, needlessly high. But it is rather beside the mark to figure two loans in as current expenditure, when The Colonist should know that they are for capital expenditure, and that the facilities they provide will be useful for many generations of students. As a matter of fact, the appropriation for next year is $566,000, and if the student body numbers 1,740, as it did this year—though it will quite likely be more—the per capita cost will be about $325.

The second error was made in the House in the course of the debate on the University estimates. A member asked what it cost to educate a U.B.C. graduate, and another member, dividing the number of graduates last year—203—into the appropriation for next year—$566,000—announced that it was $2,800 a year. That, of course, is another absurd figure. Possibly the member meant to suggest that the cost per graduate was $2,800 for his full course. But even that is too high. British Columbia uses its university as other provinces use their high schools, to carry on the first year's work after matriculation. Many students put in this first year and then drop out. They never graduate, and it is quite unfair to charge the cost of these up against the average graduate.

As it takes four years for a student to graduate, the simpler plan of arriving at his cost to the Province would be to multiply the annual per capita cost by four. This annual cost is given above as $325. The cost per graduate would, therefore, be $1,300. In the Arts faculty, it would probably be considerably less than this. In Agriculture and Science, it would be mbre. This, of course, does not take into account the interest on the capital investment. But the Legislature was not taking account of that either.

A THOUGHT

Out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaketh.—Matt. xii., 34.

The heart that is soonest awake to the flowers is always the first to be touched by the thorns.—Moore.

JOTS FROM GEOGRAPHY

SAN JOSE MISSION, near San Antonio, Texas, is of rare sculptural and architectural beauty. The carvings over the doorways of the venerable church have been pronounced by many experts to be among the finest architectural ornamentation in America today. The mission is in an advanced stage of disintegration, and for that reason holds much charm for the many visitors to the site.

Life's Niceties
Hints On Etiquette

1. When a man and a woman are in a shop, must he keep his hat off?
2. If someone stops to speak to them, should he remove his hat?
3. How long must he keep it off?

THE ANSWERS

1. No.
2. Certainly.
3. It is customary to keep it off while the conversation lasts.

Bridge Me Another

By W. W. WENTWORTH

(Abbreviations: A—ace; K—king; Q—queen; J—jack; X—any card lower than ten.)

1. May you count on a sure trick in a forced hand bid?
2. When a partner refuses to bid after informatory double, what does he exhibit?
3. When should two of a minor suit be bid initially?

THE ANSWERS

1. No.
2. More will power than judgment.
3. Holding A K Q X X X.

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department

Victoria, March 21.—8 a.m.—The barometer remains low over this Province and unsettled, rainy, mild weather prevails on the Pacific Slope. Fine, mild weather is reported in the prairies.

Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 29.85; temperature, maximum yesterday, 59; minimum, 47; wind, 8 miles E.; rain, .03; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.84; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .38; weather, raining.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 32; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.64; temperature, maximum yesterday, 52; minimum, 44; wind, 24 miles S.E.; rain, .16; weather, raining.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.72; temperature, maximum yesterday, 52; minimum, 48; wind, 12 miles S.E.; rain, .58; weather, raining.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.78; temperature, maximum yesterday, 52; minimum, 50; wind, 10 miles S.E.; rain, 1.00; weather, raining.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, maximum yesterday, 53; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles S.; rain, .22; weather, raining.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles S.E.; rain, .38; weather, raining.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, maximum yesterday, 70; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Dawson—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 6; minimum, 2 below; snow, trace.

Temperature

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	59	47
Vancouver	56	48
Barkerville	46	..
Penticton	64	..
Grand Forks	50	..
Nelson	58	..
Swift Current	70	42
Calgary	68	36
Edmonton	64	36
Qu'Appelle	54	36
Regina	62	33
Winnipeg	48	38
Moose Jaw	64	39
Toronto	40	..
Ottawa	40	..
Montreal	38	..
St. John	38	..
Halifax	40	..

Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and legibly written. The longer an article the shorter the chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name and address of the writer, but not for publication unless the writer wishes. The publication or rejection of articles is a matter entirely in the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for the preservation or return to the writers of communications submitted to the Editor.

WILL BE AT LADYSMITH

To the Editor:—In a copy of your valuable paper dated March 19, there appears a notice to the effect that Liberals of Cowichan-Newcastle district will hold a nominating convention at Duncan on Saturday, March 24, for the purpose of choosing a candidate to contest the constituency.

Where the above emanated from is a mystery to me, especially in view of the fact that, at the last district executive meeting, it was decided to hold the above-mentioned convention at the city of Ladysmith, on a date which was left open for a specific purpose.

May I also add, that, according to our district convention rules, at least two weeks' notice by registered mail, signed by the president and secretary of the District Liberal Association, shall be sent to the secretaries of the various local associations throughout the riding giving notice of the call of such convention, etc.

To the best of my knowledge, no such call has yet been sent out.

JOHN BENNETT, President.
Cowichan-Newcastle District Liberal Association.

THE E. AND N. STATION

To the Editor:—The E. and N. Railway announces the policy of beautifying its tracks and surroundings with flower beds and garden plants at the stations. Will the management of the company kindly say whether the Victoria station will be made beautiful at the same time as the others?

Here's a fine opening for improvement.

ANXIOUS CITIZEN.

CHURCH AND IMMIGRATION

To the Editor:—May I say in response to the inquiry of Cavalier C. Di Castri, with reference to suggested influence of the Holy Catholic Church in immigration into Canada, that he may discover all the information possible on this subject by reading the report on the question of the last General Assembly of the Anglican Church of Canada, and the subsequent resolutions made by this body, and the discussion which followed between that body and the Honorable Robert Forke, Minister of Immigration.

This report is now in the knowledge of every well-instructed Canadian, and I presume that Dr. Di Castri overlooked this, being so busy with his splendid musical work in our city.

CLEM DAVIES.

City Temple, Victoria, B.C., Wednesday, March 21, 1928.

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URGE EARLIER SEASON'S END

Cumberland Rod and Gun Club Ask That Deer Season Close December 1

Cumberland, March 21.—The annual meeting of the Cumberland Rod and Gun Club was held in the Athletic Hall on Sunday evening. A large attendance of hunters and fishermen were present, and new officers were elected for the coming year, as follows: H. Maynard, Victoria, honorary president, C. H. Tarbell and P. P. Harrison, M.P.P., honorary vice-presidents; W. Williams, president; Mayor A. Maxwell, vice-president; J. L. Brown, secretary; R. Coe, treasurer; committee, Jack Horbury, Richard James, William Douglas, J. Hannay, H. Strachan, J. Horbury, J. McKenzie, M. Stewart and Joe Reese; official weighman, M. Stewart. Sixteen new members from Courtenay were added to the club's membership. The secretary, J. L. Brown, read the financial statement of the previous year showing the finances of the club to be in a very healthy condition. Many recommendations were put before the meeting, and will be forwarded to the Game Conservation Board for their consideration. The most important of these included, (a) the closing of the deer season on December 1; (b) "resolved, that request be made to the proper authorities, that logging operations on Comox Lake be carried out with proper care for the preservation of fish, and that lake shores be kept free from debris." It was explained by some of the members, that they had seen several lakes on Vancouver Island, where logging operations had been carried on, and that the condition of the lake shores, where old snags and limbs had been left lying about, was a disgrace to the country. The fishing committee reported on the fishing contest held in Puntledge River, March 18. Prizes were won by J. Hannay, W. Williams and M. Stewart. The details of the smoker which the club intends holding in the near future were left in the hands of the committee.

Master Billy Merrifield spent the week end in Courtenay the guest of Master F. Hurford.

Miss Mary Clark was a visitor to Nanaimo over the week-end.

Nineteen tables of whist were in play at the whist drive and dance held in the Memorial Hall on Saturday evening, under the auspices of the Cumberland Branch, B.E.S.L. Play continued until almost 10 o'clock, when delicious refreshments were served. The prize winners were as follows: Mrs. W. Davis, Mrs. Balagno, Mrs. Morello (subs), Mrs. K. Brown (subs). Dancing was enjoyed until midnight. The music was supplied by Jimmy Walker's Melody Four Orchestra.

The Rev. Nelson A. Harkness, B.A., B.D., of Vancouver, secretary of the B.C. Branch of the British Bible Society, was a visitor to Cumberland last week-end, preaching in St. George's United Church at the morning service.

A number of his schoolmates paid a surprise visit to Master Billy MacNaughton on Friday, and an enjoyable evening was spent playing games. Those present included: Bessie Brown, Gertie Davis, Margaret Westfield, Nora McRae, Winona Baird, Lily Picketti, Dilys Williams, Bernice Stant, Chrissie Robertson, Edith Cavellero, Wilbert Auchterlonie, John Bannerman, Hugh Irvine, Willie Brown, Cyril Davis, Harry Westfield, Thomas Conrod, Bryson Parnham and Irvin Banks.

Mr. and Mrs. Richardson of Nanaimo and Mr. and Mrs. Richardson of South Wellington, motored to Cumberland on Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Haywood, which took place on Tuesday.

On Saturday, March 17, Mrs. Elizabeth Haywood, aged seventy-five years, and a resident of Cumberland for the past thirty years, passed away at her home. Mrs. Haywood, who is one of Cumberland's oldest residents, was born near the city of Leicester, in Leicestershire, England, and came to the United States with her husband, nearly fifty years ago, spending some eighteen or nineteen years there before coming to British Columbia. The late Mrs. Haywood was a prominent worker in Methodist Church circles during her lifetime, taking an active part in all social and religious affairs. Pre-deceased some three years ago by her husband, she leaves to mourn her loss, three daughters, Mrs. George Richardson, Mrs. J. Horbury and Miss Annie Haywood, and nine grandchildren. An only son, Abraham Haywood, was reported missing while on active service during the Great War. The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon, the Rev. J. Hewitt officiating, and interment was made in Cumberland Cemetery. The following acted as pallbearers: John Brown, T. Pierce, W. C. Whyte, T. Armstrong, A. Maxwell and R. Coe.

J. Conway, Provincial Government Agent, and Mr. Aitken, were visitors to Victoria during the week on departmental business.

The Rev. A. de L. Nunns of Victoria, rector of St. Mary's, Oak Bay, was a visitor to Cumberland over the week-end, preaching at the evening service on Sunday, at Holy Trinity Church.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

THE VICTORIA DAILY TIMES, MARCH 21, 1903.

There was a good attendance at the meeting of the High School alumni, held last evening in the assembly room of the High School building. The programme was an exceedingly instructive one, embracing a report from the secretary on Cecil Rhodes's scholarships, papers by President Newbury and Miss A. D. Cameron on the early life of Victoria, and a number of well rendered musical selections.

The principal business discussed at the regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, held last evening in the Pioneer Hall, was that of securing quarters and the appointment of a secretary.

Weather Forecast—Victoria and vicinity: Moderate to fresh northerly winds; continued fair to-day and Sunday, with frosts at night.

Rev. Elliott S. Rowe, pastor of the Metropolitan Methodist Church, who is away on a business trip East, is expected back some time next week.

Another 1,500 tons of cargo for the non-union laborers at Vancouver to handle and load aboard the trains for shipment over the Canadian Pacific Railway arrived here on the steamer Tartar from China and Japan this morning.

Another two weeks will see the baseball championship season in the Pacific Northwest League.

The regular weekly run of the Victoria Hunt Club is being held this afternoon at 2.45 o'clock from the Royal Oaks.

Passenger Plane Makes Fast Trip

Portland, Ore., March 21.—Lieut. Tommy Fowler, piloting the West Coast Air Transport plane, "Cascadian," yesterday made what is believed the fastest trip ever recorded between San Francisco and Portland, when he covered the distance in four hours and thirty-five minutes flying time.

Only one stop was made, at Corning, California, for fuel. Soon after leaving Corning the plane picked up a tail wind which continued all the way to Portland. The trip from Eugene to Portland, an airline distance of 106 miles, was made in forty-five minutes.

The plane carried seven passengers, one short of its full load capacity.

POLAR PLANE TESTED

Winnipeg, March 21.—Commander Richard E. Byrd, leader of a projected expedition to the South Pole early next Fall, will be unable to come to Manitoba to witness the testing of one of his all-metal planes to be used on the trip, according to word received here. Pressing business, it was stated, will keep the noted explorer in New York.

Lieut. Mulroy, who will accompany the Byrd expedition; Floyd Bennett and Bernt Balchen, well known aviators, are bringing the all-metal plane to Winnipeg to make the Winter tests of the machine. They are expected to arrive here to-day.

NICOTINE IS KING

Washington, March 21.—The average American consumed 784 cigarettes, sixty-two cigars, three pounds of chewing and smoking tobacco and one-third of a pound of snuff last year. Government reports show that 98,000,000 cigarettes, nearly seven and a half billion cigars and more than 350,000,000 pounds of chewing and smoking tobacco were consumed in 1927.

Niagara Bridge Scheme Is Ended

Ottawa, March 21.—The bill for construction of a bridge across the Niagara River from Niagara Falls, Ont., to Niagara Falls, N.Y., was talked out in the House last night.

Opposition to the granting of the charter was again voiced by Hon. J. D. Chaplin, Conservative, Lincoln, Ont. There was no necessity for the new bridge, he declared, and furthermore, it would be too close to the present one.

John Evans, Progressive, Rosetown, Sask., declared that if the bridge were needed the two nations concerned should arrange to build it.

Mr. Evans was still talking at 9 o'clock, the hour at which the period for private members' bills expired.

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Sliced Ayrshire Ham, per lb. 39¢
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3 lbs. for $1.30
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Oxford Sausage, per lb. .....13¢
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King-Beach Strawberry Jam, 4s, at .....65¢
Infants' Delight Soap, 2 cakes for .....15¢
Sunlight Soap, 3 cartons for 61¢
Glycerine-Pumice Soap, per cake at .....8¢
Red River Cereal, per pkt... 27¢
Heinz Pork and Beans, 3 tins for .....31¢
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"Home Run" Hawaiian Pineapple, 8 oz., per tin .....13¢
Eagle Brand Blueberries, 2s, per tin ..... 25¢
Del Monte Country Gentlemen Corn, 2s, per tin .....21¢
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Swift's Pride Washing Powder, per carton ..... 23¢
Libby's Stuffed Olives, 10 oz. per bottle ..... 32¢
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Pink Salmon, ½s, per tin....8¢
Venus Fish Sandwich Spread, per tin ..... 12½¢
Venus Red Salmon Salad, per tin, at ..... 21¢
Tox Hand Cleaner, 5s, tin 90¢
Smyrna Cooking Figs, per 3-lb. pkt. ..... 25¢
Ivory Soap Flakes, per pkt. 10½¢
Tiger Indian Chutney, pints, per bottle ..... 47¢
Fry's Cocoa, ½s, per tin....25¢
Bee Hive Corn Syrup, 5s, per tin at ..... 35¢
Bulk Cocoa, per lb.....15¢
Sugar Crisp Corn Flakes, 2 pkts. for ..... 19¢
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White Wizard Washing Compound, 50c package for .....21¢
Quaker Cake Flour, per carton at ..... 26¢
Valencia Shelled Almonds, per lb. ..... 55¢
Spencer's Baking Powder, 12 oz., per tin .....21¢
Jaeger Mackerel Smacks, per tin at ..... 10¢
Libby's Tomato Soup, tin 10¢
King-Beach Red Plums, 2½s, per tin ..... 19¢
King-Beach Greengages, 2s, per tin ..... 15¢
Bonner's Table Raisins, 1s, per carton ..... 15¢
Del Monte Ripe Figs, 1s, per tin at ..... 28¢
Horne's Custard Powder, 1s, per tin ..... 31¢
Pendray's Water Glass, pints, per tin ..... 17¢
Pendray's Water Glass, Quarts, per tin ..... 33¢
Evaporated Apricots, per lb. 21¢
Ogilvie's Quick Oats, with china, per carton .....38¢
Keiller's Orange or Little Chip Marmalade, 4s, per tin.....85¢
Orange Blossom Honey, jar 55¢
Keirs Cowichan Honey, 2s, per tin at ..... 44¢
Del Monte Dri-Pak Prunes, 2½s, per tin .....24¢
Saanich Minced Clams, ½s, per tin ..... 13¢
Quebec Pure Maple Syrup, Imperial Quarts, per tin.....95¢
Purity Shaker Salt, 2 cartons for ..... 21¢
Nestle's Condensed Milk, tin 17¢
Del Monte Prunes, medium size, 3-lb. pkt. .....25¢
Ramsay's Cream Sodas, per carton ..... 19¢
Wild Rose Pastry Flour, 10s, per sack ..... 49¢

—Lower Main Floor

WORSTED MILL TO RISE SOON

B.C. Worsted Mills Limited Lets Contracts For Early Start on Plant

Contracts for the mill of the British Columbia Worsted Mills Limited, on Montreal Street, have been let it is announced by local representatives of the company.

The main building will be a one-story structure of heavy timber construction, extending some 236 feet by 100 feet. In addition a brick office building and boiler house will be erected as separate units of the plant. The general contract goes to Parfitt Bros. Limited; W. R. Menzies & Company will do the heating installation; Stapledon & Carter, the electrical work, and the Melrose Company, painting.

The plans were prepared by Percy Fox, architect, from data supplied by John Moore, Bradford, England, woollen mill owner who is identified with a local syndicate organizing the industry here. Machinery for the plant is to be shipped from the Marshall Mill, Portland Street, Bradford.

Ganges

Ganges, March 21.—The members of the Women's Institute held a "hard times" dance in the Women's Institute Hall at Fulford Saturday evening. Eaton's Orchestra playing for the dance. The judges were Mrs. F. Johnson, Miss Battigan and W. Stewart, and prizes were awarded to Miss Bea Hamilton, for most artistic costume, made of ferns and berries; Miss Ena Hamilton, best original dress, made from gunny-sacks; Violet Hamilton, comic, Patches; Claude Hamilton, Bryne Lyne, original; F. M. Jackson, comic.

Mrs. E. Blackburn and Peter Blackburn, of Vancouver, were visitors to Ganges this week.

Fred Morris left for Bellingham after spending a couple of months with his parents.

Wilfred Douglas left this week for Vancouver.

On Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Mouat were pleasantly surprised by relatives on their twentieth wedding anniversary. Mrs. Jane Mouat presented them, on behalf of their brother and sisters and relatives, good wishes, a lovely eiderdown and a beautiful console set from Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Mouat's children.

The Sunshine Guild held their March meeting Saturday afternoon to make preparations for the annual flower show, to be held in June.

The prize list will be out shortly.

They will hold a silver tea and a small miscellaneous sale at Mrs. G. J. Mouat's home on Wednesday afternoon, March 28.

The Ganges Chapter of the I.O.D.E. will hold their annual rummage and plant sale on March 31. The Girl Guides will serve tea.

The Agricultural Association will hold a general meeting on March 23 to consider new rental charges, etc.

J. R. Terry, poultry expert, and Mr. Hagger, egg expert, gave a lecture in the Mahan Hall Monday evening.

A new piano has been put in the Mahan Hall by the directors of the Agricultural Association.

J. Headley recently returned from Calgary and has purchased "Half Way House," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Case Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Allen have moved into their cottage at Ganges from "The Cranberry."

Mrs. M. Bittencourt and sons have moved into the cottage back of the Ganges school.

The annual meeting of the Gulf Islands Co-operative Jam Factory Association was held in the Mahan Hall, Ganges, on Friday last.

Directors were re-elected as follows: J. T. Collins, A. Caldwell, H. O. Allen, J. S. Rogers, N. A. Howland.

Sooke

Sooke, March 21.—The W.A. held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Butler. Materials were distributed to be made up in preparation for their Summer bazaar. Those present were: Mrs. Butler, Mrs. Throup, Mrs. McBride, Mrs. J. S. Muir, Mrs. H. Ewer, Mrs. Hawkins, Mrs. Stacey and Mrs. Crawford.

On March 15 a St. Patrick's social entertainment was given at the Knox Presbyterian Church. Mr. Lundie opened it with a few remarks, the programme being as follows:

Solo, Mrs. S. Stacey; comic selection on home-made bassoon, D. Howard; monologue, Mrs. Hawkins; song, Sidney Stacey; Irish reading, Rev. S. Lundie; duet, Mr. and Mrs. Stacey; recitations, D. Howard.

Mr. Kohout then gave a vote of thanks. Mrs. Murray and Mrs. Kohout formed the entertainment committee; Mrs. S. Lundie and Miss King, the games; Mrs. Ben Acreman and Mrs. George Cooke looked after the refreshments.

Miss Graignic and Miss Lillian Graignic spent the week-end in Sooke.

Miss Gray was at home for a few days.

G. Revercourt, of Victoria, has been visiting in Sooke.

Sidney

Sidney, March 21.—The regular monthly meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Association was held in the schoolroom last night.

Miss Margaret Cochran gave an interesting talk on "The Melody Way" of teaching music. Mr. McIntosh offered a number of dulcimer selections.

Arrangements will be made to complete plans for a card party of progressive bridge and five hundred to be held at the home of Mrs. C. C. Mounce, The Orchard, on Thursday, March 22.

The annual meeting of the North Saanich Conservative Association will be held in Wesley Hall this evening at 8 o'clock. Business will include election of officers.

Col. C. W. Peck, V.C., M.P.P., will speak on the recent session of the Legislature.

Spring Brings New Apparel for Men and Women

AND BRIGHT DRAPERIES FOR THE HOME

Ensemble SUITS

Favoring the Full Length Coat Popular for Spring

Ensembles are again in the vanguard of fashion for Spring, and we are showing many of the latest styles.

Suits with full-length coats of charmeen, trimmed with silk to match the smart silk dress. Others of tweeds with sleeveless dress to match, showing new collarless neckline; others of kasha cloth with flat crepe blouse and kasha skirts, finished with belt and fany buckles.

$21.00 and $27.90

—Mantles, First Floor

Wool Fabrics for Spring Dresses

54-inch Flannel, good quality; in navy, powder blue, Copenhagen and fawn. Makes a most economical dress. Per yard **$1.29**

54-inch Wool Georgette, in black, navy, Pekin blue, beige, grey and turquoise. An ideal fabric for dresses. Per yard **$2.98**

54-inch English Tweed, in a beautiful quality and light shade. Per yard, at **$3.98**

54-inch Satin Back Duvetyn, a delightfully soft fabric for coats; in white, Copenhagen and beige. Per yard **$7.95**

—Main Floor

Children's Wash Dresses $1.50 and $1.95

Children's New Print Dresses in a nice assortment of styles and patterns; many colors to choose from; sizes 8 to 14 years. Specially priced at **$1.50**

Children's Panty Dresses, made up in wash goods in a variety of pretty styles and colors. In chambray or print; sizes 2 to 6 years. Priced at **$1.95**

—Children's Wear, First Floor

Hoover Dresses and Overalls for Women

White Overall of good quality cotton, square neck, short sleeves, wide belt and two pockets. Price, **$1.59**

Hoover Dress of good cotton, made with long shawl collar and button on skirt to keep in place patent fastener that can be removed for washing. Price **$2.25**

—Whitewear, First Floor

A Select Range of Matrons' Hats

In New Springtime Effects

Neat-fitting Hats for matrons, in navy, also navy and grey or navy and sand combined. They have medium brims, rolled backs, flatly embroidered or with vari-colored, flat floral trimmings; large selection,

$4.95 to $8.95

—Millinery, First Floor

Corselettes, $1.50

Corselettes of pink rayon striped cotton with elastic insets in side, four hose supporters, side hook and lightly boned. Good value at **$1.50**

Nurses' Uniforms, $3.75

Uniforms, made of good cotton material in a smart style with box pleat down front, two pockets, roll collar, turn-back cuffs and the buttons can be removed when garment is washed **$3.75**

—Whitewear, First Floor

Boys' English Jersey Suits, $3.50

Boys' All-wool English Two-piece Suits, including jersey with polo collar and three buttons and pants, made with loose knee and elastic at waist. Colors, rose, Saxe and fawn; sizes 2, 3 and 4 years. Special at **$3.50**

—Children's Wear, First Floor

Plain and Fancy Voiles for Spring

Plain Color Voiles, 40 inches wide, in new shades of blue, pink, green, peach and mauve, a yard .....**29¢**

Fancy Voiles, in floral and conventional designs; 37 inches wide, a yard, **39¢, 49¢** and .....**59¢**

—Wash Goods, Main Floor

English Pyjama Cloth for Summer Wear

English Pyjama Cloth, manufactured from a very high-grade cotton, woven into a fine twill, very strong and durable and 36 inches wide. In effective wide strips of pink, blue, mauve, grey and peach and also two-color effects, in perfectly fast colors. Price, per yard, at .....**59¢**

—Staples, Main Floor

Roller Toweling, Yard, 25c and 35c

Fancy Colored Stripe Turkish Towelings of extra heavy weight, exceptional wearing qualities. Usual length for a roller towel is 2½ yards. Price, per yard, **25¢** and .....**35¢**

—Staples, Main Floor

Shoes That Are Different

By Boyd Welsh

Shoes that bear the mark of fashion's approval, yet, have that something that sets them apart—That's Vogue Shoes. The new shades in Spring leathers, as well as the popular patent are seen here at their best. Uncommon designs; perfect fitting, **$10.00** to **$15.00**

—Shoes, First Floor

The Latest in Novelty Jewelry

The newest styles in gold beads, 60-inch necklets in either medium or large beads, **$2.50** and **$2.95**

Women's Cable Chain Chokers, in single or three strand style, and in silver or gold **$1.75**

Bracelets to match in single or three strand style in silver or gold .....**95¢**

Chokers in medium or large beads, graduated or uniform shapes **$1.50**

Smart Earrings in a wide variety of styles, button or drop shape with pearls, rhinestones or colored stones, at **75¢, 95¢** and **$1.00**

—Jewelry, Main Floor

Annual Spring Display of New Cretonnes

Featuring a large selection of Fine Printed Draperies, from the mills of Canada, England, France and United States.

Reversible Terry Cloth

36-inch Reversible Printed Terry Cloth, a rich-looking drapery. A yard .....**98¢**

Warp Printed Shadow Cretonnes

Reversible Shadow Cretonnes, in a range of soft toned colors; smart designs—

30 inches wide, a yard .....**80¢**
50 inches wide, a yard **$1.50**

Drapery Chintz

Attractive Light-weight Cretonnes, in charming chintz designs, for bedroom draperies; 36 inches wide, a yard .....**29¢**

Nipigon Cretonnes

A Fine Reversible Canadian Cretonne in a wide range of attractive patterns; 36 inches wide, a yard, at .....**49¢**

Printed Satines for Eiderdown Re-covers

A Handsome Printed Satine, 36 inches wide; very smart patterns, a yard .....**59¢**

Block-printed Cretonnes

Block-printed Cretonnes, in bright colors and exceedingly attractive designs; 31 inches wide, a yard, at .....**98¢**

48-inch Cretonne, 65¢ a Yard

48-inch Cretonne in designs that are practically reversible. Extra special value, a yard.....**65¢**

Block-printed Linens, $2.95 a Yard

Hand-block-printed Linens, an exceptionally fine value; 50 inches wide, a yard.....**$2.95**

Colonial Town and Country Cretonnes

A beautiful fabric in large floral and stripe designs. An outstanding drapery fabric; 36 inches wide, a yard .....**98¢**

Popular English Cretonnes

A full array of British Cretonnes, in designs suitable for loose covers or draperies; 31 inches wide, a yard, at **39¢, 49¢, 65¢** and .....**75¢**

—Draperies, Second Floor

In the Styles in Demand for Spring and Early Summer

Men's and Young Men's Tweed Suits

With Two Pairs of Pants

$27.50

All-wool Tweed Suits, in the very newest single and double-breasted models; and newest popular shades and patterns. They are well tailored and lined with art silk. Just such suits as you have admired on the best dressed men about town. With the extra pair of pants, the suits have a double-wearing life, neat-fitting, dressy suits and a great value for **$27.50**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

Men's Tweed Pants, $3.95

A large selection of Tweed Pants, in stripes and novelty weaves, light or dark shades. Pants are made with five pockets, belt loops and cuff bottoms. All sizes, a pair **$3.95**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

Men's English Flannel Pants, $2.75 and $5.50

Men's English Flannel Pants, medium and dark shades, belt loop and cuff bottoms. Good strong English flannel and very practical. All sizes, at **$2.75**

Men's English Flannel Pants, No. 232, the most celebrated and well known in England. In light, medium and dark shades. Excellent value at **$5.50**

—Main Floor

Dressy Hats for Men

A selection of Fine Felt Hats for the young, smart dresser, the business man or conservative dresser. New shades and styles.

The Brock Hats.....**$6.50**
The St. Lawrence for.....**$5.00**
The Horton for **$3.50**

—Hats, Main Floor

Tooke Brand Shirts, Each $2.25

Tooke Brand Lustre Broadcloth Shirts, a guaranteed shirt made to fit. Fancy checks, new colors, collars to match, different sleeve lengths. Special at, each...**$2.25**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Men's Spring Weight Underwear

Atlantic Brand Cream Elastic Rib Shirts and Drawers, long sleeves and ankle length. Per garment **$1.00**

Combinations, as above **$1.75**

Penman's Natural Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, long or short sleeves, short or ankle length leg. A garment .....**75¢**

Combinations, same as above, a suit **$1.50**

Penman's Cream Cashmere Pure Wool Combinations, short sleeves and ankle length. Price, a suit **$4.50**

Penman's White Mesh Cotton Combinations, one button, athletic style, all sizes. A suit, at **$1.00**

English Aertex Cellular, White Mesh Combinations, short sleeves and knee length. A suit **$3.00**

Somerset Brand White Nainsook Combinations, athletic style, a suit.....**$1.00**

"Not-a-button," White Hair Cord Athletic Combinations. Special value at, suit, **$1.35**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Pure Linen Luncheon and Tea Sets

Pure Linen Tea Set in oyster linen of a highly dependable grade with fancy colored borders—

36x36-inch cloth and four napkins, **$1.50** and **$2.15**
44x44-inch cloth and four napkins, **$1.75**
54x54-inch cloth and four napkins, **$2.39**

Exceptional values in Hemstitched Oyster Linen Sets with colored borders of pink, blue, helio and green—

36x36-inch cloth and four napkins, **$2.25**
45x45-inch cloth and six napkins, **$2.95**
54x54-inch cloth and six napkins, **$3.95**

54x54-inch Pure Damask Linen Sets with wide fancy satin colored borders with six napkins to match. At, a set, **$4.95** and **$5.50**

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Silk Rayon Bedspreads

We have a splendid range of Silk Rayon Bedspreads in all the new colorings, such as Vieux rose, lavender, Saxe and canary, in both plain colors and stripe effects. These wear well and launder beautifully—

Size 72x100 inches, in several designs.....**$4.95**

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Just What Should Baby Do When At That Age?

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN

Most mothers are convinced that their children are unusual in precocity as well as in physical development, but actually know just what status a child should have attained at any given period in its growth.

The state of Pennsylvania publishes a baby book which is contributed to mothers in that state without charge in order to keep them informed relative to simple facts about childbirth and baby care. In this booklet the facts are related in a simple, straightforward manner that anyone can understand.

In one brief table the bulletin provides a statement as to the normal development of the child which is especially helpful.

A normal baby will show the following characteristics as it grows:

1—A steady gain in weight.
2—A good appetite, no vomiting or "spitting up."
3—A clear, soft, pink skin.
4—Bright eyes, with a contented expression.
5—Peaceful sleep, with mouth and eyes tightly closed.
6—Constant growth in stature and intelligence.
7—Alert little muscles that make the body springy and active.
8—Regular bowel movements of normal color, number and consistency.
9—From third to fourth month, coos.
10—From third to fifth month, laughs aloud.
—11From the fourth month, holds his head up unsupported.
12—From the fifth to seventh month, reaches for toys and holds them, begins to be sociable and will try to talk; likes attention; begins to cut his teeth.
13—From the seventh to eighth month is usually able to sit erect, hold the spine erect and will try to creep.
14—From the ninth to tenth month will try to bear his weight on his feet.
15—From the eleventh to twelfth month can pull himself up and stand with help.
16—At one year can usually speak a few single words and at the end of the second year can make short sentences.
17—At the fourteenth month the fontanelle begins to close. Is fully closed from the eighteenth month to two years.

The only words not clearly understandable in this list appear in the last statement. The fontanelle is the soft spot on the top of the baby's head.

Probably more mothers worry about the failure of this spot to close early in the baby's life than about any other condition.

BEAUTY
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How and Why

By ANN ALYSIS

The square face generally belongs to people of considerable strength of character and in men is very much admired, though this same quality, if shown too markedly, does not inspire admiration if the face happens to belong to a woman. The appearance of strength, coupled with severity, as it usually is, does not add to the loveliness which is woman's allure.

To judge the shape of a face, it must be observed from the front. In the typical square face, the lines from the cheek bones downward are parallel, they neither converge nor diverge. The line of the jaw is straight and well defined. Such a face is usually very severe in expression. Generally the forehead is square, and this adds to the general severity.

A woman who is of this type should bring art to her rescue to modify the rigidity of her facial outlines. This she may do by studying for herself an exceedingly soft and curving arrangement of her hair. She should draw it from her forehead in the loosest possible manner, and should cultivate the large and undulating wave.

Care must be taken in designing the neckline of her dresses. This should never be square but triangular, or, still better, round or oval. In short, every effort should be made to get as far as possible away from the straight line at the neck and in style of hair dressing.

Worry and Weakened Hearts

By OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

The heart! That's the thing that puzzles the health dispensers now. We have a better chance of living olr full three score years and ten than our grandparents—if—our hearts hold out.

But our hearts aren't holding out, that's the trouble. And it is becoming the great mystery. Why?

The specialist marks you over with blue chalk like a game of hop-scotch, listens, shakes his head, and remarks sternly, "You have been running up all the hills on high. Take it easy, shift your gears, and don't work so hard."

But nobody with fixed habits ever listens to him, and by the time we need heart specialists we usually have fixed habits. But it is bad business. We must listen and we must shift gears or the old bus is going to the scrap heap.

But all bad hearts are not caused by overwork, or by burning the candle at both ends. The chief contributing cause of nerve and consequent heart trouble is worry. The old adage, "Work doesn't kill but worry will," was never as true as in the year of Our Lord 1928. We worry more every month. We can't stop. It is a disease as progressive as tuberculosis.

A woman worried because she thought she had a malignant growth. It looked indeed as though she had. At last an operation proved it to be only a small tumor and she recovered her health completely. Did she stop worrying? It wasn't a month until she was worrying herself to death, literally, over a rug with a hole eaten in it by radio acid!

A man faced ruin. He had taken a long chance and missed. For a while it looked as though his creditors could make things very unpleasant. Friends helped—he came out clean, with a new start and a sunny future ahead. But by the second moon, he was fretting himself nigh to madness because his neighbor was building a garage that spoiled his view.

When we learn to accept we will save heart specialists a lot of trouble and for ourselves a few extra years.

Specials in Baby Carriages for Economy Day

Folding Carriages
Just the thing for taking in your car or for the street car. Strong steel frames, rubber-tired wheels and heavy canvas bodies. Fold flat when not in use. Regular, each, $7.50. Economy Day Special price, each.....$5.50

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There are just two of these bargains for Economy Day. They are in ivory enamel with all-steel gears, rubber-tired wheels and attractive fibre bodies in ivory enamel. Regular $33.75. Economy Day Special price, each $25.00

Sulkies
Strongly made and with heavy rubber tires. Regular $6.75. Economy Day Special price.....$4.95

—Fourth Floor, H.B.C.

Economies in Floor Coverings

250 Yards Rixoleum Floor Covering At 39c Per Square Yard
Felt-base Rixoleum Floor Covering in good patterns suitable for bedrooms, kitchens, etc. Wonderful bargain at, per square yard.....39¢

50 Axminster Hearth Rugs at $2.69
Heavy grade Soft Pile Axminster Rugs in nice colorings in Hit and Miss designs. Size 27x54 inches. Special price, each $2,69

Jute Brussels Rugs at $1.59 Each
Sturdy quality Jute Brussels Rugs in nice patterns and colorings. Useful size, 27x54 inches. Special price, at, each $1.59

100 Wash Rugs at 58c Each
Sturdy Wash Rugs. Very handsome and suitable for bedrooms and bathrooms. Size 24x48 inches. Special price, each .....58¢

Genuine Mirzapore Rugs at Special Prices
One-piece Rugs from India, made by hand in wonderful colorings. There are few of these rugs at these remarkable prices.
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Size 9.8x12.0. Special price, $79.00
Size 10.6x12.4. Special price, $97.50

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Odd Rugs at remarkable reductions. Note these prices—
One only, size 4.6x7.6. Regular $3.90. Now $2.50
Four only, size 6.0x9.0. Regular $6.50. Now $3.75
Two only, size 7.6x9.0. Regular $10.50. Now $6.50
Two only, size 9.0x10.6. Regular $12.25. Now $7.95
Two only, size 9.0x12.0. Regular $13.00. Now $8.50

—Third Floor, H.B.C.

Economy Savings in Drug Sundries

Autostrop Razors, in a metal case. Each at ..... 34¢
Shaving Sticks .....19¢

Hot Water Bottle with Fountain Syringe attachments $1.98
And a 500-page Book on "Nursing in the Home," with each.

Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, 97¢
Sulphur and Molasses.....18¢
Bromo Seltzer, large size.....97¢

Peerless Malt Extract, 2½-lb. size, including a packet of Hops, 67¢

Fonds Creams .....36¢
Kleenex Tissues, 60c value.....48¢
Powder Compacts, standard sizes. Each at ..... 88¢

Kolynos Tooth Paste. 300 trial size tubes. One to each of our Drug Dept. customers to-morrow.

Dentex Tooth Paste, large size ....38¢
Hutax Tooth Paste .....18¢
Sanaseptic Tooth Brushes, wire drawn, at .....43¢
H.B.C. Standard Tooth Brushes...38¢

Chamois Skins, good quality and average size. Special price....88¢

—Drugs.

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

150 English Felt Hats

An Extraordinary Bargain for Economy Day at **1.49**

Just received in time for Economy Day selling 150 English Felts in smart Spring styles—new shapes and shades never shown before. They are fashioned on correct lines and the quality is splendid. Head sizes for girls as well as adults. Special Economy Day $1.49

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A Special Value at $4.95

Shoe styles are continually changing to meet the demands for fashion novelties. We give you a selection in styles and quality of newest season's footwear.

Tan Calf and Patent Four-eyelet Tie Oxfords with Paisley trim effect; patent and kid one strap pin seal trim. A choice of Cuban, medium and low heels; sizes 3½ to 7.
Price, per pair $4.95

Broken Lines Assortments to Clear at 95c a Pair
White Satin, Silver, Gold and White Canvas Shoes to clear at, per pair ..... 95¢

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Young Men's Oxfords, Special, $5.00

Economy Day offers an opportunity for men to buy a pair of up-to-date Oxfords for Spring. The shoes are generally accepted as the most outstanding models of the season. Not too extreme but yet providing something different for which the young men are looking. Made in tan stroller calf and gun metal calf with welted soles and rubber heels. Choice of Balmoral and Blucher cut styles; sizes 6 to 10. Price, per pair $5.00

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Big Economies in Hardware

Wear-Ever Tea Kettles
5-quart size. Regular $4.40. Special price, each $3.95

Copper Wash Boilers
All copper. Large size. Regular $4.95. Special price $3.95

Steel Wool
Canadian Steel Wool. Home-chore size. Special price, 5 for.....25¢

Shopping Baskets
With cover, made of white willow. Reg. $1.59. Special price, each, 98¢

200 Wear-Ever Aluminum Double Boilers
2-quart size. Regular $2.25. Special price, each, at $1.49

100 Wear-Ever Straight Saucepans
3-quart size. Regular $1.40. Special price, each, at $1.15
4-quart size. Regular $1.70. Special price, each at $1.70

Wear-Ever Lipped Saucepans
2-quart size. Regular 77c. Special price, each, at ..... 69¢
2½-quart size. Regular 86c. Special price, each, at ..... 79¢

Aluminum Measures
Quart size, graduated and marked in ounces. Special price, each ....49¢

Rakes and Hoes
10, 12 and 14-tooth Rakes and 8-inch Hoes, all filed and with long handles. Special price, each .....69¢

Grass Catchers
All sizes in Perfection Grass Catchers. These have galvanized iron bottoms, and canvas sides. Regular $1.75. Any size, specially priced at, each, $1.25

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

A Special in Golf Clubs

Drivers, Brassies, Putters, Midirons, Mashies, Niblicks, Cleeks, Jiggers and Driving Irons—take your choice all at the one price of $1.69

Special Golf Set

Consisting of four assorted clubs, three golf balls and one bag. Special at $9.95

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Bicycle Tires at Economy Prices

Dunlop 28x1½ Nobby Tread Tires. Special for $1.69
Dunlop 28x1½ Tubes. Special for .....39¢

A Bargain in Roller Skates

Extension Frame Roller Skates. Regular $3.50. Special for $2.95

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Economy Day Specials in Groceries Provisions and Fresh Meats

Call 1670

Hudson's Bay Company Seal of Quality Flour, excellent for all baking purposes—
49-lb. sack $2.48
24-lb. sack $1.25
Capital Brand Pastry Flour, 10-lb. sack .....48¢
H.B.C. Breakfast Tea, per lb.....55¢
3 lbs. for $1.60
H.B.C. Freshly Roasted Pure Coffee, per lb. .....45¢
Del Monte Brand Canned Hawaiian Pineapple, No. 1¼ squat tin....19¢
3 tins for .....55¢

CANNED PEAS SPECIAL
Quaker Brand Canned Peas, No. 2 tin at .....12¢
3 tins for .....35¢

Del Monte Brand Canned Sliced Peaches, No. 2 tin .....22¢
3 for .....65¢
Del Monte Brand California Bartlett Pears, No. 2½ tin .....35¢
3 tins for $1.00
Del Monte Brand Royal Anne Cherries, No. 2½ tin .....42¢

EMPRESS JAM SPECIAL
Empress Brand Pure Red Plum, 4-lb. tin, regular 55c, special, per tin, at .....45¢

Sunlight Soap, 2 cartons for....41¢
Carnation Bath Soap, 3 large cakes for .....25¢
Infant's Delight Soap, 4 cakes for 25¢
Richard's English Carbolic Soap, 6 cakes for .....28¢
Huron Brand White Tissue Toilet Paper, 7 for .....25¢
Lever's Lux, per package .....11¢

EGGS FOR PRESERVING
Fresh Farm Eggs, B.C. Extras, per dozen .....30¢
Fresh Farm Eggs, B.C. Firsts, per dozen ..... 28¢

Purity Brand Water Glass, large tin, at ..... 38¢
Small tin .....18¢

Squirrel Brand Peanut Butter, 1-lb. pail, at ..... 24¢
Finest Quality New Zealand Creamery Butter, per lb. .....46¢
3 lbs. for $1.35
Pure Bulk Lard, per lb.....20¢
3 lbs. for .....58¢
Selected Mild Cured Side Bacon, side or half side, per lb.....38¢
Canadian Stilton Cheese, per lb....40¢

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES
California Sunkist Navel Oranges, sweet and juicy, special, per dozen, at ..... 58¢

Fancy Okanagan Yellow Newton Apples, extra fine pack, special per box, at $3.38
Fresh Local Rhubarb, per bundle, 15¢
Jerusalem Artichokes, special, 6 lbs. for .....25¢
Imported Tomatoes, per lb.....30¢
Local Hothouse Cucumbers, each..35¢
Finest Florida Grapefruit, each, 15¢ and .....20¢

Economy Day Meat Specials

500 lbs. Boiling Beef, per lb. ....18¢
500 lbs. Pot Roast, per lb.....20¢
300 lbs. Pickled Side Pork, per lb..23¢
2,000 lbs. Legs, Loins and Shoulders of Pork, all at, per lb. .....25¢
500 lbs. Boneless Roll Beef, per lb...28¢
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Glove Bargains
For Economy Day

150 Pairs Suede Finish Fabric Gloves at 49c a Pair
Good Heavy Quality Fabric Gloves with regulation wrist or turn-over cuffs. Good choice of light, medium and dark shades; sizes 6 to 7½. Economy Day special price, per pair, 49¢

150 PAIRS SUEDE FINISH FABRIC GLOVES AT 79c A PAIR
Splendid Quality Gloves with novelty turn-over tops in contrasting colors with points to match. Regular $1.00 a pair. Broken ranges of sizes and colors. Clearing for Economy Day at, per pair .....79¢

French Kid and Washable Suede Gloves at $2.89 a Pair
This group includes French Novelty Kid and Novelty Washable Suede Gloves in a broken range of sizes and colors. These are from our regular stock and every pair is perfect. This is a splendid opportunity to secure standard qualities in good Spring colors at substantial savings. Sizes 5¾ to 7¼. Economy Day only, price, per pair $2.89

Ribbons, Laces and Trimmings at Bargain Prices

2,000 Yards of Ribbon at Two Yards for 5c.
One-quarter to one-inch wide Ribbon, corded and with brilliant tinsel thread; also plain Ribbons with colored edges. Very popular for millinery and dress trimmings. Economy Day only, 2 yards for .....5¢

LACE AND TRIMMING REMNANTS AT HALF PRICE
Good useful lengths left from the past month's selling. Tinsel braids, silk braids, fur trimmings, silk cords and braids. Laces, insertions, embroideries and lace trimmings and flouncings. Economy Day offering at .....HALF PRICE

Economy Sale of Lace at 6 Yards For 18c.
White and Ecru Valenciennes Laces; also insertions and ecru torchon laces. Widths from ½ to 12 inches. There is an excellent choice of dainty patterns for lingerie, fancy work and other purposes. For Economy Day only, 6 yards for .....18¢

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Wanted Draperies at Bargain Prices

Remnants of Curtain Fabrics at Half Price
Many useful lengths of Drapery Fabrics, including nets, marquisettes, voiles, cretonnes, shadow cloths, casements and poplins, velours, etc. All grouped together at .....HALF PRICE

Cretonnes at 19c a Yard
Superior Quality Cretonne in a full selection of patterns and colorings; width 31 and 36 inches. Remarkable value. Price, per yard .....19¢

100 Yards 31-inch Shadow Cloth at 65c
Warp-printed English Shadow Cloth in light and attractive colors suitable for slip covers and drapes. Price, per yard .....65¢

Stripe Silks, Damasks and Repps at $1.98
An opportunity to select your better curtains now at a worth-while saving. We have grouped these beautiful fabrics together and they offer remarkable value. Values to $2.95. Sale price, per yard $1.98

40 Pairs Ruffle Border Curtains at 79c a Pair
Colored Ruffle Curtains in good quality marquisette. Complete with tie-backs. Per pair .....79¢

—Third Floor, H.B.C.

Specials From the China Department

23-piece China Tea Sets for $5.95
Several dainty patterns from which to choose in pretty combinations of colors and in nice quality imported china with straight shaped cups. Each set consists of 6 cups and saucers, 6 tea plates, 1 teapot, covered sugar bowl and cream pitcher. Economy Day Special price, per set $5.95

Tokanobe Pottery at 79c a Piece
The assortment consists of vases, rose bowls, flower bowls, oval window boxes, hanging baskets, etc. The colors are very rich and charming and include mauve, blue, orange and red, with trimmings of contrasting colors. Regular 98c each. Economy Day special price .....79¢

English Milk Jugs
One-quart Size English Milk Jugs in plain white. Nice large top. Regular 50c. Economy Day special price, each .....39¢

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

100 New Spring Froc
Values to $29.00 for
$15.95

Lovely Frocks fashioned from Georgette, crepe de Chine and Canton Crepe in the new draped and flared styles. Some have smocking to give the skirt a becoming fullness. Others are richly trimmed with metal embroidery in smart all-over patterns. There are straight-line styles for the larger figures with becoming jabots of georgette and covered silk buttons as trimmings. These Frocks would ordinarily sell at $29.50.
Special for Economy Day at.... $15.95

Smart New Sports Frocks Priced at $6.75

Attractive two-piece styles in Silverbriggan, also one and two-piece styles in Balbriggan. They have tailored collars, two pockets neatly trimmed with self-material, fancy belts, pin tucks and buckles. Skirts are pleated at front. Many new colors to choose from. Sizes 16 to 36.
Economy Day..... $6.75

An Economy Special in Kasha C and Tweed Coats at $13.9

New Jaunty Coats, tailored from Kasha Cloth, and fancy tweed m smart novelty styles, including belted and unbelted models. Ha mental strappings, insets and pockets. Choose from plain natur fawn, brown and grey mixtures. Sizes 16 to 38. Economy Day,

—Second Floo

1,200 Women's Stamped Apr
In a Special Three Days' Sale, Starting To-morrow, Economy Day

Many different styles stamped on unbleached cotton, colored linene and dai bar muslins.

What more attractive light needlework could you have than these Aprons? already made up and need only to be embroidered; others are planned for you up. All are on good material and stamped with really artistic designs.

Colored Linene Aprons
Already made up and finished with binding in contrasting color and stamped for embroidery in various designs. Special price, each..... 39c

Colored Linene Aprons
Stamped with cutting-out lines, pocket and ties. Practical size. Easy designs. Colors are maize, Saxe, mauve and tangerine. Special price, each..... 49c

Unbleached Aprons
Well-fitting and entirely finished, with fast color binding, tie strings and shoulder straps. Easy designs. Special price each..... 59c

Unbleached Aprons
Stamped with cutting-out li easy designs. Hand tinted. price, each .....

Cross Bar Muslin Aprons
In dainty colors. Stamped with out lines. Choose from mauv and rose. Special price, each.....

Ready-made Coverall Aprons
Of colored linene. Full-length front. All seams and edges finished with bias binding. designs. Colors are rose, mau and maize. Special price ,each.....

Art Needlework Section.

—Mezzanine Floor,

Economy Day Bargains in Women's Underwear and Corsets

Sixty Rayon Silk Bloomers at 98c a Pair
A good quality of rayon is the material from which these well-made and full-cut Bloomers were fashioned. Shown in Nile, sunni, peach and apricot. Price, per pair....98¢

Fifty Women's Spring-weight Vests at 49c
Made from one and one cream rib cotton, in a good weight for early Spring. Tailored strap or short sleeves. Sizes 36 to 44. Price, each ..... 49¢

36 D & A Formfit Corselettes To Clear at $2.95
Practical models, made of cotton broche with elastic inserts over hips. Side fastening with four hose supporters. Sizes 32 to 40. Special at $2.95

38 Dainty Nainsook Nightgowns at $1.98
Early shopping is advised if you are anxious to secure one or more of these unusually pretty gowns. Shown in peach, pink, sunni and sky and trimmed with applique net or embroidered in contrasting colors. Price, each $1.98

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Three Special Barg Girls' Wear

Special Purchase of Girls' To Sell at 49c a Pair
Full-fashioned Bloomers quality black Sateen, in ages from 2 to 14 years. pair .....

Girls' Broadcloth Slips at 98
Made from a good qua Broadcloth with hemstitc tailored strap. Colors are sunni, Saxe and peach. 14 years. Price, each.....

Children's Knit Underwaists
There are just 160 of little Knitted Underwaist of a serviceable one and are taped and buttoned from 2 to 10 years. Price

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Whenever we offer discarded library books at this low price there is always a keen demand for them. So we advise early selection. Special price for Economy Day 25c

—Mezzanine Floor, H.B.C.

Money-saving Offerings at the Notion Section

Coat and Suit Buttons

Coat, Suit and Dress Buttons grouped for quick selling. Regular 25c per dozen. Economy Day price, per dozen .....13¢

Regular 0c per dozen. Economy Day price, per dozen .....25¢

J. & P. COATS' 6 CORD MACHINE COTTON

200-yard spools in black or white. All numbers. Economy Day bargain price

12 for 89c

Black and White Tape

Shown in bundles of 8 pieces, each 3½ yards. Regular 25c a bundle. Economy Day price, per bundle ..19¢

Art Silk Covered Coat Hangers

In attractive mixed colorings. Economy Day price, 2 for .....25¢

Black Enameled Suit and Coat Hangers

With bar and sturdy metal hook. Regular 35c, for .....29¢

Textilose Shopping Bags for 19c

Strong and light-weight Shopping Bags with reinforced handles. In natural color only. Regular 25c each. An Economy Day bargain at ....19¢

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Coat and Dress Flowers at Half Price

Choose from organdie, velvet and silk flowers in a wide choice of desirable colors and styles. Economy Day at half price, 75¢ to $1.98

50 Hollywood Boxes

Regular $1.95, for $1.49

Take advantage of this substantial saving on superior quality Hollywood Boxes for school, picnic or week-end use. Shown with chintz lining and inside pocket. Strong metal clasp and covered in good quality fibroid in colors of green, blue, fawn, red and also black. Regular $1.95. Economy Day price, each $1.49

Heavy Amber Frame Leather Handbags

Regular $6.50, for $4.98

Made in London, England, from fancy grained leather and with heavy amber frames. Shown in the desired pouch style, moire lined and fitted with vanity mirror. Colors are navy, seal brown, ox blood and Castillian red. Special for Economy Day at $4.98

Crepe de Chine Scarves

Values to $4.95 for $2.98

Take advantage of this outstanding value in beautiful printed crepe de Chine scarves. Conventional and all-over designs in clever color combinations and in the correct width and length for spring wear. Economy Day price, only $2.98

Printed Crepe de Chine Ties

Regular $1.25 for 98c

A one-day offering in smart new designs and colorings for the Spring outfit. These charming Ties come in Windsor and Derby styles and are very exceptional value. Economy Day price, each .....98¢

500 Yards Novelty Wash Fabrics

Economy Day Special at 39c a Yard

The beautiful Spring weather has turned your thoughts to wash fabrics and in this collection you will find materials that are new, pleasing and economical. You may choose from novelty prints, novelty rayons, novelty foulards and beach suitings. Widths 32 to 36 inches. Price, per yard 39c

200 Yards Novelty Black Silks, Regular $2.95 for $1.49 a Yard

A special purchase received just in time for Economy Day buyers. A 36-inch material of pure silk in satin and cord plaid effects with a rich lustrous finish. An ideal weight for dresses or coats. Regular price $2.95. Special for Economy Day, per yard $1.49

Pure Wool Dress Flannels at $1.00 a Yard

The ideal fabric for inexpensive frocks. Choose from Copenhagen, Saxe, sand, beaver and cardinal. Price, a yard. $1.00

250 Yards of Natural Pongee Silk at 49c a Yard

Pongee is known to be a serviceable and economical material and this is of good quality, fine even texture and clear natural color. Shown in weight for dresses, lingerie, drapes, skirts, blouses, etc. Width 33 inches. Economy Day price, per yard, at .....49¢

100 Yards Heavy Black Duchesse Satins at $1.69 a Yard

Of a superbly rich texture and bright satin surface. Width 36 inches. A great Economy Day offering at, per yard.....$1.69

150 Yards Novelty Black Silk Armure at $1.00 a Yard

A silk fabric that will fashion into small frocks and coats. Woven in a neat Armure effect. Width 36 inches. A splendid offering at, per yard $1.00

Heavy Silk Crepe de Chine at $1.49 a Yard

Shown in weight for dresses and in all wanted colorings, including mauve, Napoli, starlight, sand, silverwing, rose, maize, Palm, tawny birch, tile, sky, sea pink, navy, black and ivory. Width, 36 inches. Economy Day price, per yard $1.49

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

150 Yards French Poiret Twills $2.95 Value for $1.98 a Yard

Woven from fine Botany yarns giving that soft draping quality so much desired. Good-wearing and economical fabrics in black and navy only. Weight for dresses, suits and coats. Good width, 54 inches. This will cut to economical advantage. $2.95 value. Economy Day price, per yard, at $1.98

White Pure Wool Blankets

At $3.98, $4.98 and $5.98 Each

If you are economically inclined here is a great oportunity to replenish your blanket supply in a thrifty manner. You can buy one blanket or as many as you wish. These are woven from pure wool yarns and represent a special mill purchase enabling us to price them unusually low.

Single bed size, each,	Three-quarter bed size, each,	Double bed size, each,
$3.98	$4.98	$5.98

Economies in Table Linens

200 Novelty Crash Table Cloths Size 51x51-inch for $1.00 Each

Here is startling economy in Table Cloths. Splendid for general use, easily laundered and of good appearance. Finished with novelty colored bordered effects. Economy Day price, each $1.00

Pure Linen Damask Table Napkins at 39c Each

These Beautiful Table Napkins are not quite perfect in weave but the imperfections are so slight as to be hardly noticeable. Thus comes your opportunity to economize and to obtain table napkins of values to $7.50 a dozen at very little more than half price. Choose from many desirable patterns. Size 22x22 inches. Economy Day price, each..39¢

500 Yards Colored Turkish Roller Toweling at 25c a Yard

This is a Toweling sold in the ordinary way at 35c a yard. Good drying quality. Destined to give good service. Economy Day price, per yard .....25¢

2,000 Towels at Economy Day Prices

2,000 White and Colored Turkish Towels in a great Economy Day offering. They are slightly imperfect in weave but nothing to affect the wear. Stock up now while at these low prices.

White Turkish Towels

Regular 19c. Price, each.....10¢
Regular 25c. Price, each ....15¢
Regular 49c. Price, each ....29¢
Regular $1.00. Price, each..49¢

Colored Turkish Towels

Regular 19c. Price, each....10¢
Regular 35c. Price, each....19¢
Regular 39c. Price, each....25¢
Regular 59c. Price, each....39¢
Regular $1.00. Price, each..49¢

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Good Widths and Splendid Value for 49c a Yard

Lengths for sheets, pillow cases and other purposes in all wanted widths. 63 to 80 inches wide. Values to 98c a yard. Economy Day price, per yard, at ..... 49¢

Two Economy Lines in Pillow Cases

Pure Linen Hemstitched Pillow Cases at $1.98 a Pair

Made from a pure linen of fine even texture and finished with hemstitched ends. Size 44x33 inches. Remarkable value at, per pair $1.98

Horrockses' Hemstitched Pillow Cases at $1.00 a Pair

Made from a high-grade cotton of fine even texture and finished with hemstitched ends. Size 40 and 42-inch. Economy Day price, per pair $1.00

Extra Large White Flannelette Blankets at $3.98 a Pair

Made wider and longer than the ordinary blanket in response to a widely expressed demand for a good-sized flannelette blanket. Whipped singly which is an advantage. Size 80x90 inches. Repriced for Economy Day at, per pair.....$3.98

500 Yards Horrockses' White Flannelettes at 29c a Yard

Famed for their hard-wearing qualities and fineness of texture. These fabrics are economical for two reasons—high quality and low price. Width 30 inches. Economy Day price, per yard .....29¢

Unbleached Canton Flannels at 19c a Yard

Soft nappy surface and fine twilled back insuring good wear. Width 27 inches. Economy Day price, per yard .....19¢

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Another Big Bargain in Hosiery

250 Pairs of Women's Silk and Wool Hose at 89c a Pair

For Economy Day we offer Women's plain and mottled Silk and Wool Hose at this specially reduced price. Every pair is perfect. Not all sizes in each color, but every size is represented in the assortment. Our previous Specials have proved very popular. We therefore suggest early shopping. Economy Day price, per pair..... 89c

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Clearing Children's Three-quarter All-wool Golf Hose at 49c a Pair

Made from sturdy pure wool yarns and finished with smart turn-over tops in good color mixtures. Shown in black, grey and brown only; hence the special reduction. Sizes 6, 7 and 9. Price for Economy Day only, per pair ..... 49¢

Misses' Pleated Skirts Special at $1.29

Well made serviceable kirts for school wear. Tailored from a good quality navy blue serge. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Each $1.29

Children's Shoes

Exceptionally good values in Children's Shoes are offered for Economy Day. This selection comprises chrome calf Oxfords with tan trim facings and toecaps; patent treble strap Tie models; also brown calf 3-eyelet Tie Oxords. Sizes 8 to 10½ and 11 to 2. Price, per pair..... $2.95

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

100 Girls' Pantie Dresses at 98c Each

Fashioned from smart Novelty Prints in the season's newest colors. Have gathered and pleated fronts. Panties to match. Sizes 1 to 3 years....98¢

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Economy Bargains for Boys

Boys' English Corduroy Knickers

Full lined with strong white twill, all seams strongly sewn finished with belt loops and three pockets; sizes 7 to 15 years. Economy Day, per pair, at $1.89

Boys' School Knickers

Sturdy Knickers of tweed, navy serge and grey flannel. All full lined and finished with belt loops and hip and side pockets; sizes 4 to 12 years. Economy Day, per pair $1.29

Boys' Wool Golf Hose

Light and Heavy-weight All-wool Golf Hose in grey and heather shades. All English made and wonderful values. Sizes 6½ to 10. For boys 4 to 14 years. Price, 2 pairs for 95¢

Boys' Spring Combinations

Good natural shade cotton in soft Merino finish. Just the right weight to put on now. It washes soft and does not shrink. Made with short sleeves and quarter leg. All sizes 22 to 34. Price, per suit .....69¢

Boys' Three-piece Long Trouser Tweed Suits

Special at $9.95

Smart Up-to-date Suits, consisting of coat, vest and long trousers, tailored from good-wearing tweeds, in fawn, grey, brown and novelty weaves. Choice of single and double-breasted models, perfect-fitting garments, full of style and value; sizes 10 to 18 years. Special for Economy Day,

$9.95

A "Double Header" in Men's Clothing Value

Men's Fancy Tweed Suits.... $15
Men's Gabardine Raincoats ...

The Suits

Seventy-five only, Men's Fancy Tweed Suits in dark and medium shades and a few fine English grey worsteds. Choose from smart single and double-breasted models; sizes 35 to 46. Economy Day Special

$15.00

The Coats

English Gabardine Raincoats fashioned in the latest Raglan style with all-round belt. They have convertible storm collar and are full checked lined. An ideal coat for early Spring wear; two colors—navy and fawn; sizes 32 to 44. Price

$15.00

Men's Separate Trousers

A Big Economy Day Special at $2.45

Tables are heaped high with these trousers for Economy Day buyers. They offer a wonderful choice of tweeds and navy serges, all well tailored and neatly finished. Have belt loops, five pockets and cuff bottoms; sizes 30 to 44 waist. Economy Day Special per pair $2.45

Spectacles or Eyeglasses at 30% Off

This special offer of high-grade spectacles or eyeglasses should appeal to those who are as keen about style as they are about value. It embraces the entire line of glasses for every purpose and represents the greatest value this department has ever offered. A scientific examination of the eyes, lenses ground to order and your choice of frames all included in the price which will carry a discount of 30% on all orders, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

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—Optical Department

—Mezzanine Floor, H.B.C.

Economies in Men's Quality Furnishings

Men's Pyjamas Specially Priced at $1.95 Per Suit

A special buy of stripe flannelette and and fancy stripe percale. All full cut pyjamas with art silk braided buttonholes and French neck; all sizes, 36 to 44. Economy Day price, per suit, at $1.95

Men's Negligee Shirts at 95c Each

Smart stripe percales in a regular full cut shirt with separate collar. All are coat style and with double cuffs; all sizes, 14½ to 16½ and exceptional Economy Day price, each .....95¢

Men's Strong Work Shirts at $1.00 Each

A special buy in blue chambray, khaki twill and grey and khaki cotton military flannel. Well made and full cut in consideration of the special needs of the working man; all sizes, 14½ to 18. Economy Day price, each $1.00

Men's Grey Cotton Work Socks at 5 Pairs for 69c

A strong knit grey cotton sock that will give good wear. Seamless feet and a color that is easy on the feet; all sizes. Economy Day price, 5 pairs for ..... 69¢

Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, Manufacturers' Surplus, at Six for $1.29

Pure Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs in regular men's size. These are a manufacturer's surplus and in the half dozen lots there are many handkerchiefs worth 50c each.

Men's Smart Ties at Two for 75c

Included in this lot are smart color crossbar effects and all-black in knit rayon; also tubular ties in a new novelty style with a different pattern on each side making a double-wear tie. All at, 2 for .....75¢

Fancy Cashmere Half Hose at 79c a Pair

A new shipment of English Half Hose in fancy designs. These socks are very smart in appearance; good fitting and have wonderful qualities. Shown in shades of grey, tan and brown. Price, per pair .....79¢
2 pairs for $1.50

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Economies for Smokers

Royal George Smoking Tobacco, ½-lb. tins, $1.25 value..$1.00
Tobacco Pouches of leather, wallet style, quality, rubber lined, at ..... 95¢
Briar Pipes, excellent values at, 3 for .....95¢
Pocket Lighters .....33¢
Snap Open Lighters $1.38

Tobacco Dept.,

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

FRIENDS SOUGHT

Word from friends is sought by George Baker, Mayer Building, Portland, of the soldier in the above picture, Henry Reid, who died in Portland recently. When Reid died in the Oregon city he was alone and friendless but it is believed he may have friends in this district. Although from the original photograph, it is hard to distinguish the badges on his uniform, it is believed he belonged to the Royal Highlanders (Black Watch), Perthshire, at the time the picture was taken.

HELP! HELP!

(From the Winnipeg Free Press)

The Calgary Herald wants titles restored in Canada. They have been banned since 1919 by action of the Canadian Parliament and no one appears to have been very much hurt except, perhaps, the feeling of an odd Canadian here and there who has a little money and a hankering for a handle to his name. The ordinary run-of-mine Canadian citizen has been getting along reasonably well and no doubt is better satisfied with the present situation than with the old one when things that went on sometimes gave rise to the impression that a man with enough money to be useful when party funds were being collected could get himself recognized by the King. Not, of course, that the King got any of the money or knew what was going on.

The amazing thing is that an agitation should arise in Calgary for the return of titles. Calgary is a good Canadian town. It is now able to slip into a dinner jacket for an evening's dancing, but it is not long since the days when the cowboy from the range rode his horse into the Calgary bar and had him put his front feet on the counter and then wink at the bartender for the drinks. Go to Calgary at Stampede time and you gather the impression that while they are vitally interested in ponies, Indians, H.B.C. point blankets and ten-gallon hats, the last thing in the world they are thinking about is a title—any titles except those commonly used in the range country when a cowman meets a sheep-herder.

More extraordinary, however, is the reason given by The Calgary Herald for the desirability of re-establishing the system of titles in Canada. It argues that Canadians are sharply handicapped in international dealing, especially in inter-empire affairs, as a result of Canadians having to appear without titles. The Canadian is pushed back in the order of precedence and has to tag in at the far end of the line while the lord, the knight and the squire are away up at the front helping themselves to the gravy. Read what The Herald has to say:

"While the exclusion of Canadians from the privilege of having merit thus rewarded may mean nothing in particular so far as home life is concerned, it means much in inter-Dominion relationships. No matter what Canadians may feel about His Majesty's honors, it is evident that in all other Dominions of the British Empire the people have respect for them. They are considered in the order of precedence which marks the arrangement of every public function. That being the case it comes rather hard on outstanding Canadians, representing their country in inter-Dominion affairs abroad. They find that without certain credentials which they might have had were it not for that 1919 resolution, they are relegated to places far below those which their positions as Canada's representatives properly entitle them to, and which would be theirs were it not for Parliament's ill-considered action.

"Parliament is now in session. The title bar has been on far practically a decade and we are no more democratic because of it. Its chief result has been to place us at a disadvantage, individually and as a nation, in international and inter-Empire relationships."

Canadians should ponder this matter with the greatest care and the most searching eye. In international affairs and in inter-Empire negotiating Canada has to leave her affairs in the hands of such men as Mr. Mackenzie King, Mr. Ernest Lapointe, Mr. Dandurand, who was president of the Assembly of the League of Nations, Mr. Vincent Massey, or it might be Mr. Arthur Meighen, or possibly Mr. Bennett, who must be familiar with the Calgary situation. Australia is just as badly off. She has only plain Mr. Bruce; New Zealand has Mr. Coates. The Irish Free State hasn't a plumed knight to scare a snake and depends on Mr. Cosgrave and Mr. Desmond Fitzgerald. The Union of South Africa has had to take its chances on saving its diplomatic skin with Mr. Hertzog; and the alternative premier is an unadorned commoner named Smuts.

The situation is made even worse by the fact that when a conference of Empire statesmen is held these gentlement we have mentioned are left at the tail end along with Mr. Stanley Baldwin, Mr. Lloyd George, Mr. Winston Churchill, and others of that ranking who stand and grit their teeth while the sirs and the knights and the odd baron and duke are crowding through to the head table.

Obviously something will have to be done about this, not only on account of our own title-less Canadian leaders but for the sake of Mr. Stanley Baldwin, Mr. Lloyd George and Mr. Churchill. And since something must be done and a movement must be got under way Calgary is just as suitable a place to start it as anywhere else.

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The programme in detail follows:

Part I

1. "O Canada."
2. "Carcassonne".....Gustav Nadaud
   "La Princesse Lointaine".....Cecil Fanning
   Music by Guy Bevier Williams.
3. "Figs From Thistles".....Edna St. V. Millay
4. Childhood Studies:
   "Cautionary Tales"...Hilaire Belloc
   "The King's Breakfast"..A. A. Milne
   Music by Liza Lehmann and H. Fraser Simson.
5. Songs—Selected ..... Arthur Gore.

Part II

1. Tropic Cycle .....Katherine Hale
   (a) "Heat"
   (b) "Tropic Night
   (c) "The Prisoner"
2. Three Fans .....Katherine Hale
   (a) "Black Fan"
   (b) "Green Fan"
   (c) "White Fan"
3. From "Morning in the West"... .....Katherine Hale
   (a) "Ballad of Jasper Road"
   (b) "Spanish Pilots"
   (c) "An Old Lady"
4. Going North..... Katherin Hale
   (a) "Painted Rock"
   (b) "White Slumber"
   (c) "Crimson Fool"
5. Six Portraits.....Katherine Hale
   (a "A Cree"
   (b) "A Bolshevik"
   (c) "Silver Sripers"
   (d) "Pavlowa Dancing"
   (e) "Charles Chaplin"
   (f) "Author at Midnight"

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SOCIAL PERSONAL — WOMEN'S AFFAIRS AND CLUB NEWS

UNITED W.M.S. OPEN SESSIONS IN VANCOUVER

B.C. Conference Branch Hears Reports of Progress During Year

Vancouver, March 21—Declaring that the Women's Missionary Society of the United Church, British Columbia conference branch, had been awarded second place in the Dominion in reaching its allocation, Mrs. C. A. Wickens, corresponding secretary, gave the following interesting report at the second annual meeting which commenced in Wesley Church last evening.

"Five presbyterials and two districts compose this conference branch, namely, Kamloops-Okanagan, Kootenay, Westminster, Vancouver and Victoria, and Prince Rupert and Cariboo respectively. These presbyterials and districts are organized with 127 auxiliaries, thirty-four young women's auxiliaries, twenty-eight circles, ninety-eight bands, nine baby bands, eight associated societies, and sixty-seven affiliated C.G.I.T. groups.

BIG INCREASE

From April 1, 1927, to December 31 of the same year, this shows an increase of three Y.W. auxiliaries, four circles, seven bands and two baby bands, making a total gain of fourteen organizations. Each of the presbyterials have submitted encouraging reports of the work accomplished during the year, the advance being specially notable in the young people's departments.

Special mention was made of the progressive spirit of the Westminster presbyterial, which in nine months was credited with organizing one auxiliary, three mission circles, one Y.W.A. and two affiliated C.G.I.T. groups. Vancouver presbyterial reported making its allocation of $15,000. A group of Indian women at Skidegate raised $101 for the treasury, and another $10.

The combined strength of the branch shows 298 organized socities, eight associated societies, and sixty-seven affiliated C.G.I.T. groups, having a total membership of 7,849; and a total income of $30,046. A sum of $29,700 has been sent to the general treasury in Toronto for the year.

SPLENDID WORK

Days observed throughout the year include the women's missionary Sunday, international and interdenominational day of prayer, and world day of prayer.

In her review of the various organized societies, Mrs. Wickens stated that the C.G.I.T. groups had held 301 missionary meetings; that there were 1,163 associated helpers; and that the strangers' department had cared for 5,488 strangers in one year, including visits to sick and to new Canadians under educational instruction.

The supply committee has given donations to mission homes and schools, hospitals, marine missions, and to individuals needing assistance. Its library department has come in contact with isolated families. At the department of literature at 401 Pacific Street, every sort of missionary help, posters, lectures and lantern slides are available.

IMMIGRATION PROBLEMS

In heg annual report Mrs. J. S. Gordon, the president, stated that the Women's Missionary Society is consecrated to the tasks of home mission; of helping to make Canada a nation; of giving the gospel to the stranger within our gates; of developing in the stranger the spirit of Christian citizenship; and of caring for the needy in soul and body.

"Immigration is one of our great problems," she said. "I need not tell you that one-eighth of the population of Canada is non-Anglo-Saxon; in one of the Western provinces over fifty per cent of the people are non-English speaking; that Canada's population is made up of between fifty and sixty nationalities; that there are 100 languages and dialects, and seventy-nine or more religions. In many places in Canada young people are growing up without religious instruction."

Mrs. Gordon told of the mission work in foreign fields, and of the success of missionary effort. This week, at Jerusalem, an international missionary conference will open, with delegates from all countries numbering two hundred attending. In 1927 in Japan, women school teachers met to discuss plans for religious instruction, one missionary kindergarten now having 12,000 children enrolled. A series of conferences on social reform and education were held in India in 1926 and 1927, and attended by 5,000 women. The marriage age of a Hindu girl has no been raised to fourteen years.

SENT FOUR MISSIONARIES

The Women's Missionary Society has sent four missionaries overseas, two to India and two to Africa. It will send a vocational teacher to a school in Trinidad. The society is affiliated with the Foreign Mission Council of North America which is made up of over fifty women's boards, and has a membership of over five million.

Its committee for 1928 will work on education for peace. This committee will also seek to have published more Christian literature in the language and dialects of the various countries and will make an appeal for many thousands of copies of the New Testament for distribution among the people who are asking for them.

The treasurer's annual financial statement, given by Mrs. J. F. Higginbotham was as follows: Balance from last year, $73. Receipts from presbyterials, Kamloops - Okanagan, $3,058; Kootenay, $1,500; Vancouver, $15,122; Victoria, $5,816; Westminster, $3,655; and from districts, Prince George, $83 and Prince Rupert, $810, making a total of $30,046.

Oaklands P.-T.A.—The Oaklands P.-T.A. will hold a 500 card party on Monday, March 26, 8 p.m., in the school auditorium. Mr. W. D. Todd has kindly donated two half cords of wood for the first prizes and refreshments will be served.

Y.W.C.A. Welcome Club—The Y.W.C.A. Welcome Club will meet on Thursday. Supper will be served at 6 p.m., after which the monthly social evening will be held.

Message Meeting—Mrs. M. L. Ol Range of Vancouver will hold a message meeting at Harmony Hall, Fort Street, Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock. A general invitation is given.

SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Garner of Duncan are spending a few days in Victoria.

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Mr. Clark Ford of Vancouver is spending a few days in Victoria on business.

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Capt. and Mrs. Neroutsos, who have been spending the last few months in England, have returned to Victoria.

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Miss Beryl McCulloch has returned to her home on Woodlawn Crescent after a week's visit in Vancouver.

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Mr. F. J. Pearson of Vancouver is among the visitors from the Mainland spending a few days in Victoria.

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Mrs. J. R. Reid of Vancouver is visiting in Victoria as the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. MacLachlan, Quadra Street.

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Mrs. W. J. Swaisland of Brandon is spending a few days in Victoria as the guest of Mrs. Walter Scott, Woodland Crescent.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Brettell of Vancouver are among the visitors from the Mainland spending a few days in Victoria.

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Miss Cotton entertained a number of guests at the tea hour this afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cotton, Beach Drive.

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Mr. A. H. Hanson of Saskatoon, who has been spending the last two months in California, is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

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Mrs. E. F. Drake of Port Townsend arrived in Victoria this afternoon on a visit to her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bing, St. James Street, Oak Bay.

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Mrs. J. E. Wark of Sproat Lake, who has been visiting in Honolulu, is spending a few days in Victoria as a guest at the Empress Hotel prior to leaving for her home up the Island.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. P. D. Pemberton, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Beaven since their return from California, are now guests at The Angela.

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Mrs. Arthur W. Jones and Mrs. Hugo Beaven who went over to Seattle for the opera week, are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Otis Floyd Lamson during their stay there.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rowlands, Phoenix Place, returned to Victoria yesterday from Seattle, where they have been spending the last few days as the guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rowlands.

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Miss May Goff entertained with four tables of bridge at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Chas. Strangman, The Uplands, last evening for Mrs. Victor Sifton of Toronto and Miss E. M. Pemberton.

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Mrs. Norman Payne entertained last evening at her home on Linden Avenue with three tables of bridge in honor of Mrs. Prescott Cookingham of Portland and of Miss Rispin of Chaham, Ontario.

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The many Victoria friends of Miss Helen Stewart, former public librarian, will be interested to learn that she recently received her degree of Doctor of Philosophy and has been appointed head of the Department of Sociology at Wells College, New York.

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Mrs. H. F. Alexander entertained informally at tea yesterday afternoon at The Olympic Hotel. Her guests were Lady Barnard, Mrs. Harry Barnard, Mrs. Herman Robertson and Mrs. W. C. Nichol all of Victoria, who are in Seattle for Opera Week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Skeel, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee of Victoria, B.C., Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald O'Neil, Mrs. Walter Henry and Mr. George Laurier had a no-host dinner at The Olympic before the opera in Seattle last evening.

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Mrs. Gertrude Huntley Green of Victoria and Mr. Michele de Caro of the Chicago Civic Opera Company were the guests of honor at a supper party given by Dr. and Mrs. Frederick Bentley in Seattle last evening following the opera "La Gioconda."

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The Misses Helen and Belby Streatfield entertained with three tables of bridge yesterday afternoon at their home on Victoria Avenue. The invited guests included Mrs. S. Barker, Miss B. M. Pemberton, Miss Rosalind Harvey, Miss Amy Magrath, the Misses Nowelle and Joyce Billings, Miss "Bobbie" Stephens, Miss Beryl Nelson, Miss Ena Short, Miss Beryl McCulloch, Miss Roma Hartley, the Misses Helen and Phyllis Fowler, the Misses Joy and Betty Phillips, Miss Yoder Pemberton, Miss Jean Donald, Miss Kathleen R. Ross and Miss Maidie Innes.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Stevens entertained the members of the staff of the Royal Bank of Canada at their home last Sunday afternoon in honor of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. May. During the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. May were presented with a silver tea service and tray, gifts of the staff, to which Mr. May has been attached for many years. He is leaving the bank's service shortly to take a position with Branson, Brown & Co. Limited, in their Vancouver office.

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There were eleven tables in play at the usual five hundred game held in the Community Hall on Monday evening, under the auspices of Lake Hill Women's Institute. Prizes were won by the following: First table, Mrs. Huick, Mrs. Griffith, Mr. Gray, Mr. Tamboline; second table, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Kirkham, Mr. Sanders, Mr. Groutage; consolation, Mrs. Paton, Mrs. Tamboline, Mr. Lambeth, Mr. Mitchell; ten bid, Mrs. Paton, Mr. Lambeth. The next game will be on Monday evening, under the auspices of the Community Centre, and will commence at 8.30.

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The Misses Tolmie entertained the W. A. to the Saanich Health Centre at a most delightful tea on Monday afternoon at which Dr. and Mrs. Berman and Miss Hewertson were guests of honor. During the early part of the afternoon the regular meeting of the W.A. was held, and Dr. Berman gave a very interesting talk on health matters in Saanich; Miss Hewertson also spoke briefly. A number of additional guests arrived for tea, which was served in the dining-room from a daintily appointed table. Miss Tolmie and Mrs. Mercer poured tea. The drawing room and dining room were arranged with bowls of cherry blossom and daffodils, which were much admired.

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Mme. Sanderson-Mongin lent her home on Laurel Lane last evening for the reception by the University Women's Club to Mrs. Mary McCoy Jameson and Miss Justine Gilbert and their two accompanists, Mrs. Rita Ormiston McNeil and Mr. Ira Dilworth, following their recital at the Empress Hotel last evening. Receiving with the hostess were Mrs. W. H. Godson, president of the Women's University Club; Mrs. D. E. Campbell, of the Ladies' Musical Club, and the five hostesses at the affair, Miss Louise Moore, Miss Grace Beckwith, Miss Lola Maxwell, Miss Laura Archbold and Miss Mary Hamilton. Those invited to meet the artists included members of the Ladies' Musical Club executive and members of the University Women's Club. The reception rooms were beautiful with carnations, daffodils and plum blossom, Mrs. Brown of Brown's Nurseries generously volunteering the blooms as a tribute to the artists.

I.O.D.E. Gala to Secure Colors

Municipal Chapter, Imperial Order of Daughters of the Empire, assisted by the Canadian Scottish Regiment, has completed plans for a gala entertainment to be held at the Crystal Garden on Monday, April 16. The proceeds are to go to a fund for the provision of regimental colors for the Sixteenth Battalion upon which the honors won by the battalion during the Great War will be inscribed.

His Excellency the Governor-General, Lord Willingdon, accompanied by Lady Willingdon, and the Lieutenant-Governor, Hon. R. R. Bruce, and Miss Mackenzie, have signified their intention of being present on this occasion.

Plans for the entertainment include a programme replete with amusements of various kinds. There will be dancing on the three dance floors, swimming events of various kinds, and a programme which will include many forms of entertainment, the arrangement of which is in the hands of a special committee headed by Major J. H. Gillespie.

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who will play the part of Mark Embury in the production of Barrie's charming comedy by the Players' Club of Victoria College at the Victoria High School on Friday and Saturday evenings.

CLINIC ERECTED THROUGH LEGACY OPEN AT JUBILEE

David Spencer Chest Clinic Handsome Addition to Hospital Facilities

The attainment of a maximum efficiency in order to give the public the very best care and treatment along the most modern lines is the goal of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital, and for this reason the board of directors are taking particular pride in the chest clinic which has recently been added to the hospital's already fine and up-to-the-minute facilities for the treatment of disease.

The clinic is known as the Spencer clinic and has been built through the medium of a very generous request left for the purpose by the late David Spencer. In his will Mr. Spencer designated the bequest for the treatment of tuberculosis at the hospital, and the present clinic was erected and fully equipped to meet his wishes in that respect.

OF BRICK AND STONE

Substantially built of brick and stone in conformity with the general building, the new one-story addition lies at the back of the Strathcona Ward and handy to the present tuberculosis ward. The handsome stone entrance with its simple inscription, "The Spencer Clinic," faces Richmond Road, while access is also made to the clinic by corridor from the general administration building.

The new addition includes a cheery waiting-room, a rest-room for the accommodation of patients desiring to take a brief rest after examination, a nurses office, the physician's office, the examination room, and two dressing rooms with lavatory accommodation.

The suite is finished throughout with oak woodwork and furniture, and white walls, with gay chintzes at the windows and in the chair coverings, while the equipment in the way of electrical sterilizers, scales and similar fittings are the finest and most up-to-date that could be obtained. The arrangement is particularly convenient, and a separate entrance is provided for the doctor. C. E. Watkins is the architect.

COMPLETELY FURNISHED

In addition to the equipment, the bequest provided all the linen necessary, and so complete is the furnishing of the clinic that even the dressing gowns worn by those waiting examination are provided.

The clinic was used for the first time last week, when Dr. A. S. Lamb, traveling Provincial Health Officer, who has specialized in tuberculosis, examined several T.B. suspects. He remained here for three days making examinations, and will return once a month to examine cases sent by local physicians.

It is anticipated that the establishment of the clinic will afford a splendid opportunity for preventive work as well as for the detection of those in the incipient stages, thus marking an era in the local fight against this scourge, while at the same time perpetuating the memory of one of the city's pioneer citizens.

MUNICIPAL I.O.D.E. ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held in the Amphion Hall, Yates Street, over the Gordon store, to-morrow. The sessions will commence at 9.45 a.m. with Mrs. J. H. Gillespie in the chair. At the close of the afternoon session tea will be served at a small charge by the Camosun Chapter, I.O.D.E.

YOUR BABY and MINE
by Myrtle Meyer Eldred

Mrs. Eldred will be glad to answer all questions pertaining to babies and children. A stamped and self-addressed envelope forwarded to this office will bring a personal reply.

CONVULSIONS TERRIFY THE MOTHER

The most common cause of infantile spasms is an overloaded intestinal tract due to an unwise indulgence in food of any kind. While some children might emerge from a food orgy with nothing more serious than a stomach-ache, the convulsive child would react to it by having a spasm.

Anything which causes high fevers; any unusual environmental changes; too much food; over fatigue, or the eruption of teeth, may cause spasms in a certain type of child. Serious illnesses also are often preceded by a spasm, and so one must view them all with suspicion until it has been proven that more harmless causes were responsible.

Children outgrow the tendency to have spasms, because, when older and stronger, they tend less frequently to react in violent manner to upsetting situations. But the child who is of convulsive temperament and who is not prevented from having spasms will have an increasing tendency to react to almost anything in that way. It must not be overlooked that, while spasms in the very young may be of comparatively harmless origin and speedily outgrown, persistent convulsions may indicate something far more serious, and that is epilepsy. But this, of course, is not the common type of convulsion, and one must not jump to the conclusion that the average child who has spasms is ever going to have epilepsy. One other cause of spasms may bear mentioning and that is the type which is the result of an extremely difficult childbirth. The doctor had best be consulted always when a child has a tendency to have spasms and his judgment and treatment can be depended upon to prevent their recurrence.

The home prevention of ordinary spasms depends upon the mother. The diet of a child of this type needs careful attention. One should never take chances and say casually of some food difficult to digest: "Oh, I don't believe it will hurt him." Just don't try it.

It behooves the mother of a child subject to convulsions to keep a clinical thermometer in the house. Instead of depending on "feeling his head" to decide whether he has a fever and how much, use the thermometer and, when the fever runs past 101 or 102 degrees, give the child a cool sponge and put him to bed. Use a cool enema to induce a movement and give him a laxative. If necessary and the fever is high, use some medicine prescribed by the doctor for keeping the fever down until he arrives. This will prevent a convulsion in most cases, and by the time the laxative has taken effect the trouble, if it is bowel clogging, will be ended.

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MY KITCHEN NOTEBOOK

by Mary Blake
Domestic Science Counselor

A Quart of Milk Each Day for Health

I was visiting a friend the other afternoon. She was greatly worried because the family doctor had said that both her small son, Billy, and her husband were underweight.

"What shall I do?" said she. "The doctor says that both of them aren't getting the quart of milk a day that health rules demand. Yet both of them tire so easily of milk."

Let Them Eat, Instead of Drink, the Milk

"A clever woman like you," I laughed, "should have no difficulty in getting them to take their milk. If they don't drink milk—and many people won't—let them eat it.

"A big dish of cream soup, for example—doesn't that contribute at least one glass of milk to their diet? And they won't protest against it, either. How about hot chocolate? They like that, don't they? Another glass. Creamed vegetables, milk puddings, custards, creamed eggs, cream sauces on fish or croquettes, milk toast—that's just the beginning of a whole list of dishes each of which adds its bit to the needed quart a day.'

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IT'S DONE—AT LAST

Chicago, March 21.—Choirmaster Thomas Chapman was directing the Negro choir in Friendship Baptist Church. Baritone Casey McGurick Jones was singing off key. Without hesitation the deacon hauled out a blackjack and silenced the sour notes. Basso Washington McGavock didn't like that so he pulled a telephone from the wall and knocked out the deacon.

A moment later the remaining members of the choir joined the organist in "Throw Out the Life Line."

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES—Just Kiddin' —By MARTIN

The "CANARY" MURDER CASE

By S. S. VAN DINE
Author of "The Benson Murder Case"

"Why not through the main entrance?" asked Markham. "It seems the only logical way left, according to your own findings."

"That's how I had it figured out, sir," returned Heath. "But wait till you hear what the phone operator has to say."

"And the phone operator's post," mused Vance, "is the main hall halfway between the front door and this apartment. Therefore, the gentleman who caused all the disturbance hereabouts last night would have had to pass within a few feet of the operator both on arriving and departing—eh, what?"

"That's it!" snapped Heath. "And, according to the operator, no such person came or went."

Markham seemed to have absorbed some of Heath's irritability.

"Get the fellow in here, and let me question him," he ordered. Heath obeyed with a kind of malicious alacrity.

(Tuesday, September 11, 11 a. m.)

Jessup made a good impression from the moment he entered the room. He was a serious, determined-looking man in his early thirties, rugged and well built; and there was a squareness to his shoulders that carried a suggestion of military training. He walked with a decided limp—his right foot dragged preceptibly—and I noted that his left arm had been stiffened into a permanent arc, as if by an unreduced fracture of the elbow.

He was quiet and reserved, and his eyes were steady and intelligent. Markham at once motioned him to a wicker chair beside the closet door, but he declined it, and stood before the district attorney in a soldierly attitude of respectful attention. Markham opened the interrogation with several personal questions. It transpired that Jessup had been a sergeant in the World War,* had twice been seriously wounded, and had been invalided home shortly before the armistice. He had held his present post of telephone operator for over a year.

"Now, Jessup," continued Markham, "there are things connected with last night's tragedy that you can tell us."

"Yes, sir." There was no doubt that this ex-soldier would tell us accurately anything he knew, and also that, if he had any doubt as to the correctness of his information, he would frankly say so. He possessed all the qualities of a careful and well-trained witness.

"First of all, what time did you come on duty last night?"

"At ten o'clock, sir." There was no qualification to this blunt statement; one felt that Jessup would arrive punctually at whatever hour he was due. "It was my short shift. The day man and myself alternate in long and short shifts."

"And did you see Miss Odell come in last night after the theatre?"

"Yes, sir. Every one who comes in has to pass the switchboard."

"What time did she arrive?"

"It couldn't have been more than a few minutes after eleven."

"Was she alone?"

"No, sir. There was a gentleman with her."

"Do you know who he was?"

"I don't know his name, sir. But I have seen him several times before when he has called on Miss Odell."

"You could describe him, I suppose."

"Yes, sir. He's tall and cleanshaven except for a very short grey mustache, and is about forty-five, I should say. He looks—if you understand me, sir—like a man of wealth and position."

Markham nodded. "And now, tell me: did he accompany Miss Odell into her apartment, or did he go immediately away?"

(To Be Continued.)

*His full name was William Elmer Jessup, and he had been attached to the 308th Infantry of the Seventy-seventh Division of the Overseas forces.

CHAPTER IX

"He went in with Miss Odell, and stayed about half an hour," Jessup said.

Markham's eyes brightened, and there was a suppressed eagerness in his next words.

"Then he arrived about eleven, and was alone with Miss Odell in her apartment until about half past eleven. You're sure of these facts?"

"Yes, sir, that's correct," the man affirmed.

Markham paused and leaned forward.

"Now, Jessup, think carefully before answering: Did any one else call on Miss Odell at any time last night?"

"No one, sir," was the unhesitating reply.

"How can you be so sure?"

"I would have seen them, sir. They would have had to pass the switchboard in order to reach this apartment."

"And don't you ever leave the switchboard?" asked Markham.

"No, sir," the man assured him vigorously, as if protesting against the implication that he would desert a post of duty. "When I want a drink of water, or go to the toilet, I use the little lavatory in the reception-room; but I always hold the door open and keep my eye on the switchboard in case the pilot-light should show up for a telephone call. Nobody could walk down the hall, even if I was in the lavatory, without my seeing them."

One could well believe that the conscientious Jessup kept his eye at all times on the switchboard lest a call should flash and go unanswered. The man's earnestness and reliability were obvious; and there was no doubt in any of our minds, I think, that if Miss Odell had had another visitor that night, Jessup would have known it.

But Heath, with the thoroughness of his nature, rose quickly and stepped out into the main hall. In a moment he returned, looking troubled but satisfied.

"Right!" he nodded to Markham. "The lavatory door's on a direct, unobstructed line with the switchboard."

Jessup took no notice of this verification of his statement, and stood, his eyes attentively on the district attorney, awaiting any further questions that might be asked him. There was something both admirable and confidence-inspiring in his unruffled demeanor.

"What about last night?" resumed Markham. "Did you leave the switchboard often, or for long?"

"Just once, sir; and then only to go to the lavatory for a minute or two. But I watched the board the whole time."

"And you'd be willing to state on oath that no one else called on Miss Odell from 10 o'clock on, and that no one, except her escort, left her apartment after that hour?"

"Yes, sir, I would."

He was plainly telling the truth, and Markham pondered several moments before proceedings.

"What about the side door?"

"That's kept locked all night, sir. The janitor bolts it when he leaves, and unbolts it in the morning. I never touch it."

Markham leaned back and turned to Heath.

"The testimony of the janitor and Jessup here," he said, "seems to limit the situation pretty narrowly to Miss Odell's escort. If, as seems reasonable to assume, the side door was bolted all night, and if no other caller came or went through the front door, it looks as if the man we wanted to find was the one who brought her home."

Heath gave a short, mirthless laugh.

"That would be fine, sir, if something else hadn't happened around here last night." Then, to Jessup: "Tell the district attorney the rest of the story about this man."

Markham looked toward the operator with expectant interest; and Vance, lifting himself on one elbow, listened attentively.

Jessup spoke in a level voice, with the alert and careful manner of a soldier reporting to his superior officer.

"It was just this, sir. When the gentleman came out of Miss Odell's apartment at about half-past eleven, he stopped at the switchboard and asked me to get him a Yellow taxicab. I put the call through, and while he was waiting for the car, Miss Odell screamed and called for help.

"The gentleman turned and rushed to the apartment door, and I followed quickly behind him. He knocked; but at first there was no answer. Then he knocked again, and at the same time called out to Miss Odell and asked her what was the matter. This time she answered. She said everything was all right, and told him to go home and not worry. Then he walked back with me to the switchboard, remarking that he guessed Miss Odell must have fallen asleep and had a nightmare.

"We talked for a few minutes about the war, and then the taxicab came. He said good night, and went out, and I heard the car drive away."

It was plain to see that this epilogue of the departure of Miss Odell's anonymous escort completely upset Markham's theory of the case. He looked down at the floor with a baffled expression, and smoked vigorously for several moments. At last he asked:

"How long was it after this man came out of the apartment that you heard Miss Odell scream? And just what did she say when she called for help?"

"She screamed twice, and then cried 'Help! Help!'"

To be continued

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"He said, 'All right. Go ahead and quit!'"

MRS. JAMESON IN FINE PROGRAMME

Victoria Soprano and Assisting Artists Enthusiastically Received

A recital of more than ordinary local interest was that given by one of the outstanding Western teachers and recitalists, Mary McCoy Jameson, last evening the Empress Hotel ballroom.

Her constancy and keenness to her art, and her continuous efforts and achievements have been admirable, praiseworthy and noticeable during the last few years. In preparation and perception; in devotion and tradition few are there her equals in the West. For years since her early honors she has set for herself a path, the hewing of which has not been always of the easy sort, but steadfast in will and purpose and sincere in aim and ambition this devotee at the shrine of vocal music has earned an enviable and high position in local teaching ranks and on concert platforms. Of these attributes there is no question, and it is no wonder then that in all Mrs. Jameson accomplished throughout a generous, well-balanced and excellently selected programme, there prevailed the utmost cordiality and appreciation among her many friends and hearers.

Each number proclaimed evidences of her studious preparedness, musicianship and intellectual understanding, and the four groups of fourteen numbers were presented with much artistic skill and finished vocalism.

Her voice is of pure soprano quality, unerringly true to pitch, flexible of range and delightful in equality. One of the distinct features of her singing is the perfect ease in her production. She never forces her voice, her utterances issue forth without apparent effort.

Her first group, beginning with an arrangement of an "Easter Hymn" by Granville Bantock in its recurring "Alleluhias" was especially favorable, included two numbers each by Schumann and Schubert, the "Moonlight" (Schumann) and "The Erl-King" (Schubert) being finely achieved. The substance of the famous setting of Goethe's immortal poem "Erl-King" was wrought about with some splendid examples of finished vocalism by the singer.

The Sibelius group of three numbers including the well-known "Valse Triste" and "The Dragon Fly," and the aria "Roberto o tu che adoro" (Meyerbeer) were further proof of her able musicianship, and her sensibility to the purity of these vocal gems.

Her French group seemingly was particularly enjoyed and given in French was further evidence of her linguistic attainment and excellent diction. These captivated her listeners who again demanded an augmented number. This group "I ai pleure en reve" (Georges Hue), "L'Huere Exquise" (Hahn), the favorite of the group, "Le Baiser" (Goring Thomas), and the three concluding miscellaneous numbers, "Spanish Serenade (Carnavali), "Rain" (Curran), splendidly accomplished, and Strickland's original "At Eve I Heard a Flute," served again to display her varied talents in a delightful recital, that gained for her throughout unstinted applause.

The singer was accompanied by Ira Dilworth in most delightful, capable and musicianly manner.

Assisting the recitalist were Justine Gilbert, well known in former days on local concert platforms as composer and singer, and Rita Ormiston McNeil, one of the city's outstanding pianists. Miss Gilbert plays the violin delightfully and with a splendid grasp of the instrument's recourses. Her tone is of pure and good quality; her bow-arm facile and her musicianship sincere and of a high order. Besides the Bach E Major Concerto, she played "Indian Lament" (Dvorak-Kreisler), "Gondo liera" (Ries), and the Paganini "Moto Perpetuo," the latter two quite well-known to all violinists, at the conclusion of which Miss Gilbert met with enthusiastic applause.

Rita Ormiston McNeil was as usual thoroughly reliable and supporting as accompanist, and in the Bach Concerto her studious musicianship was again exemplified.

The floral offerings to the three ladies were unusually large, the stage being literally covered with handsome boquets of flowers in testimony of the esteem in which they are held. The recital was under the patronage of the University Women's Club and the Ladies' Musical Club.

PIONEERS TO-DAY OBSERVE GOLDEN WEDDING DAY

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Harris Showered With Congratulations and Good Wishes

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Harris are receiving congratulations on the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding day, which took place in Victoria on March 21, 1878, and many messages of greeting and good wishes, accompanied by floral gifts, reached them to-day at their home on Superior Street.

Mrs. Harris is a daughter of the late Sir James Douglas, first Governor of British Columbia, and the account of her wedding as given in The Colonist of that day follows:

"The Reformed Episcopal Church was yesterday densely crowded by a brilliant assemblage of ladies and gentlemen to witness the nuptials of Dennis R. Harris with Martha, youngest daughter of the late Sir James Douglas, K.C.B. Punctually at 11 o'clock the bride appeared at the east door, and leaning on the arm of her brother, Mr. James Douglas, M.P.P., walked up to the chancel, followed by her bridesmaids, who were ten in number, and all dressed in white tarletan, trimmed with ivy, and wearing wreaths of orange blossoms. The bridesmaids were: Miss Helmcken, Miss M. McTavish, Miss Cridge, Miss E. Tolmie, Miss E. McDonald, Miss M. Langley, Miss T. McDonald, Miss M. Langley, Miss T. McIey and Miss Bushby. The groomsmen were Messrs. R. Cridge, A. W. Jones and A. McKenzie. The ceremony was performed by Right Rev. Bishop Cridge, Mr. Douglas giving the bride away. The happy couple left for Stephen's Hotel, Saanich, where they will spend their honeymoon."

WOMAN LEAPS TO DEATH AT HOTEL

Chicago, March 21.—Mrs. William Frier, Evansville, Ind., leaped or fell from the window of her room on the thirty-second floor of the Morrison Hotel and was killed when she alighted on a canopy over the hotel entrance on Clark Street.

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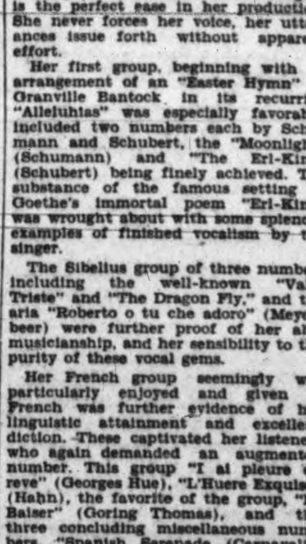

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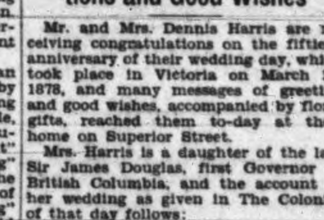

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By ALAN J. GOULD,
Associated Press Sports Editor

New York, March 21.—The baseball dope that is being wafted gently northward already has offered answers to most of the momentous questions that accompanied the major league outfits to the south.

It may, therefore, be set down with a fair degree of impunity that:

1—George Sisler has beaten out Joe Judge in the contest for first base with the Washington Senators, chiefly by exhibiting a great hitting comeback.

2—Kiki Cuyler, batting in his chosen position, third, looks ready for a big season, with the Chicago Cubs.

3—Joe Hauser has completely recovered from the effects of his broken leg. He has staged a comeback and plugged the first base group of the Athletics.

4—Connie Mack's pitching staff will be in much better shape for the start of the season than it was a year ago.

BRAVES ARE PEPPED UP

5—Boston Braves, pepped up by the addition of Hornsby, will be extremely troublesome, if not an actual pennant contender.

6—Sparky Adams is fast filling the second-base bill for the champion Pittsburgh Pirates.

7—Bill Cissell, Chicago White Sox infield recruit, has not yet measured up to his $123,000 price tag.

8—The Boston Red Sox and Philadelphia Phillies, to judge from early exhibitions will be the foremost contenders for cellar positions again.

Most of the pre-season calculations favor the National League pennant prospects of the St. Louis Cardinals or Pittsburgh Pirates, but it would be just as well not to overlook Joe McCarthy's hustling Chicago Cubs.

HINGES ON KEYSTONE SACK

The Cubs are in somewhat the same situation the Yankees were two years ago, in that their chief problem is located around the keystone bag. If Freddie Maguire and Woody English come through for the Cubs in anything like the fashion that Lazzeri and Koenig did for the American League champions in 1926, it will be pleasant sailing for Mr. McCarthy.

Otherwise the Cubs are well fortified. Cuyler, Stephenson and Wilson from a great outfield trio. Behind the bat Gabby Hartnett is one of the best in the business and the pitching staff is well stocked, with such talent as Root, Carlson, Blake and others to count on.

Avon Park, Fla., March 21.—Lester Bell, regular third-baseman of the St. Louis Cardinals, for three years has been released to the Boston Braves in consideration for Infielder Andy High and a cash consideration.

Manager McKechnie said he did not intend to use High as the regular third-sacker but would give him a utility position and use Wattie Holm as the hot corner guardian. Holm played third base for a time last year.

St. Petersburg, Fla., March 21.—Their yesterday's victory over the New York Yankees was not half the cause of rejoicing to the Boston Braves to-day, that the news was that Lester Bell, Cardinal third-baseman, would wear a new uniform this season. There was so much pep in the Braves when they learned of the High-Bell deal that they looked like champions instead of the Yanks. The combination of Hornsby and Bell, it was predicted, would go a long way toward helping the Boston lads clinch the pennant.

Tampa, Fla., March 21—Bucky Harris has at last found a youngster to fill Roger Peckinpaugh's shortstop place at least for the time being.

He is Grant Gillis of the Birmingham club. His tentative selection to play short for the Senators this season means that Bob Reeves and Jack Hayes, two other promising youngsters, will have to be used for something else, for the three were fighting it out for the job.

Roller Hockey Teams Of Seattle to Play Here On Saturday

A telegram was received this morning from K. McLaughlin of the Ballard Commercial Club of Seattle, to the effect that two roller hockey teams will visit Victoria on Saturday to play against local teams for the Northwest championship.

The visiting teams will be the Ballard Commercials, winners of the senior division of the Seattle league, and the Ballard Lions, winners of the intermediate championship.

The V.I.A.A. team, winners of the local 110, 125 and senior championships, will oppose the Ballard Lions, while a representative team made up of the best available players in the city will compete against the Ballard Commercials.

The games are to be played on Saturday evening in the V.I.A.A. gymnasium, Victoria West, commencing at 7.30 o'clock sharp.

RED-BIRDS BEATEN IN A THRILLER

Chown Felixes of Vancouver, Winners of 100 Straight Games, Beat Locals

Victoria Youngsters Held Lead For Time But Finally Lost Hoop Title

Chown "Felixes" of Vancouver, won the semi-final game for the senior "B" girls British Columbia title from the "Red Birds" of Victoria, at the Vancouver Normal School gymnasium last night. The score was 17 to 11.

The Red-Birds returned to town this morning a little disappointed, but Bill Erickson, their manager was pleased with their showing.

"Felixes" were organized as a junior girls' team four years ago, and have never lost a league game or a championship game since that time. They have over 100 straight victories in league games to their credit.

The Felixes were plainly worried last night when they bumped up against the Victoria Red-Birds, particularly in the first three-quarters of the game. The Victoria girls were hardly up to their usual championship form, being excited and nervous. They could have won the game twice over on free throws, missing no less than nine tries. The team is young and it was the first big test for them.

VICTORIA IN LEAD

Bernice MacLeod opened the scoring for Felixes in the first minute on a free throw, but Jean Milliken came right back with a basket and the Islanders led 2-1. No further scoring took place, the period closing with Victoria leading 2-1.

The Red-Birds showed their true form for a while in the second period. Berta Peden netted a free throw and dropped in a nice basket right afterwards. Jean Milliken tallied a free throw and the Birds were away flying with a 5-2 lead.

Felixes rallied for a time, and soon had the score tied at 5-5. On a free throw the Vancouver team went one point in the lead as half time halted the play.

Bernice MacLeod played a star game for Felixes in the third period, her basket making the score 8-5.

OVER ANXIOUS

Jean Milliken tallied a free throw and a basket, which tied the score at 8 all, and the crowd became wildly excited. Over anxious the Red-Birds lost many points in this period, baskets and free throws being missed by narrow margins.

Effie Silverthorne, crack forward of the Felixes, secured her only point of the game on a free throw, the Red Birds' defence keeping her closely watched. Bernice McLeod broke the heart of the Victorians with a long shot from centre.

Berta Peden took her time with two free throws, and they both found the mark. This brought the score to 11-10 with both teams fighting frantically for the lead.

Four free throws dropped clean through, and another hearthbreaking long shot by May Silverthorne turned the tide in the closing moments of the last period. Felixes had a slight edge in part of the play, but taking the game as a whole there was little to choose between the teams.

Kelly of Nanaimo handled the game in a highly satisfactory way.

The teams were:

Victoria—Berta Peden 5, Etta Maynard 1, Jean Milliken 5, Biddy Boyce, Emily Wood, Kay Freestone and C. Atherton.

Felixes—May Silverthorne 5, Effie Silverthorne 1, Bernice McLeod 9, Francis Andrews, P. Perrin 1, and W. Lawrence 1.

STICKMAN WINS AGAIN

Ruby, Alaska, March 21—Joe Stickman, returning from winning the Fairbanks Dog Derby drove his team thirty miles Monday morning and entered the postponed St. Patrick's race here, winning the seven-mile dash in 26 minutes, 37 seconds.

Washington Refuse To Concede Pennant To Yankees

Tampa, Fla., March 21.—"We are not conceding any pennant to the New York Yankees and I'll be quoted as saying so," says Bucky Harris, manager of the Washington Senators.

Bucky goes on to say he doesn't care if the Yanks know how he feels about it and that as far as he is concerned he would rather see any other team out in front at the end of next season than the powerful Yanks. Of course he has a preference for his own club, and you can't blame him for that.

Nevertheless he is spending a good bit of his time off the ball field drilling his younger players to throw off the mental bug-a-boo of Ruth, Gehrig and Co. Just how this will actually work out on the playing field remains a question, as guys like Babe and Lou don't bother their heads much about psychology and are just as likely to bust the ball propelled by a pitcher instilled with Yankee hate as they would the apple served up by any other slinger.

"We are going to miss Walter Johnston tremendously," says Harris. "Even though he might not have won as many games as some of our younger pitchers, his very presence has always had an inspiring effect on our players. In the evening chat sessions, we'll miss him most."

Lisenbee, Hadley, Gaston and probably Marberry will be the starting pitchers if things work out according to Bucky's plans. Hadley is at present recuperating from an operation for appendicitis.

Van Alstyne, Wells, Burke, Jones and Zachary are working hard to get into the regular turn class, while Gaston is being groomed to be the rescue star.

NORMAL SCHOOL MEET NANAIMO IN FINAL GAME

Men's Senior "B" Championship at Stake To-night; Upislanders Have Small Lead

In the second game of the series to decide the men's senior "B" basketball championship of Vancouver Island the Normal School, champions of the City Basketball League, Will Meet the Nanaimo hoopsters at the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium to-night. The game will get under way at 9 o'clock.

Normal School enter the final game with a three-point deficiency. The Up-islanders gained the advantage in the first game played at the Coal City Saturday night when they won by 21-18.

CONFIDENT OF VICTORY

Playing on their home floor the studednts are confident they will be able to overcome the lead and walk off with a victory which will enable them to meet the Mainland champs in the final for the Coast title.

In the preliminary games Victoria College and High School Teams will meet in a semi-final match for the Bob Whyte Shield at 7.30 o'clock, while Crescents and Hudson's Bay men's senior "C" teams are scheduled to play the second game on the programme.

A crowded house will watch the game.

McDUFFER

By BARRIE PAYNE

Two College Boxers Knock Out Each Other; One Dies and Other Is Unconscious for Two Hours

Los Angeles, March 21.—What seemed to have been a double knockout in a friendly boxing bout between two students in the University of Southern California gymnasium turned to tragedy last night when it was found that one of the boxers was dead.

The dead boxer was Michael Carnakis, twenty, of Bakersfield, a sophomore. His opponent, Phillip Bromley, nineteen, of Los Angeles, was unconscious for an hour and forty-five minutes after being knocked out in the furious exchange of blows.

Fastly and fiercely the boxers, both welterweights, pounded each other for three rounds. In the fourth they were engaged in a swift exchange of punches when suddenly, to the surprise of spectators, both tumbled on their faces in the ring. Bromley was the first to fall. Carnakis was declared the winner. Then attendants began to try to revive them. Carnakis was dead.

Examination at the Georgia Street receiving hospital by Police Surgeon Charles Sebastian disclosed that the dead boxer had once suffered a basal fracture of the skull. His death was caused by a cerebral hemorrhage, according to Dr. Sebastian.

Amateur Ball League To Make Plans Friday

President MacFarlane Invites Fans as Well as Club Officials to Attend Meeting of Victoria League on Friday; Good Season Expected; New Club Will Probably Appear

All supporters of amateur baseball in Victoria are invited to attend a meeting to be held in the Y.M.C.A. at 8 o'clock on Friday night. Dave MacFarlane, president of the Victoria Amateur Baseball League, issued the invitation this morning.

The amateur league is anxious to get organized, as it will have a competitor in the field this year in the Victoria Capital Baseball Club, which will operate a team in the new Vancouver Island Baseball League.

Some of the local players have already signed with the Capitals, but many of the others say they will stick with the Sons of Canada and Eagles, two of last year's clubs which announce that they will retain their franchises in the league. The Travelers, the third club in the league last year, will drop out and a new club will be taken in.

EXPECT GOOD YEAR

"I think we can look forward to a good year," declared Mr. MacFarlane this morning. "We will try and give the fans just as good competition as was provided last year. Our weak spots will be strengthened and we will endeavor to encourage the younger players in this city."

President MacFarlane hopes that not only officials of clubs but all fans interested will attend the meeting on Friday.

Mrs. Pocock Wins

Mrs. Pocock won the class "A" tombstone competition played at the Colwood Golf and Country Club yesterday.

Mrs. Criddle won in class "B."

Both winners planted their flags on the seventeenth green.

ROLLS PERFECT SCORE

Toronto, March 31.—The five-pin bowler's dream was realized here by J. Antliss, when he rolled a perfect 450 score at a local alley. This feat has been accomplished but three times before in this city, although there are more than 100,000 registered bowlers.

Two New Clubs May Enter Commercial League This Season

Annual Meeting of Ball League Next Monday Night; Six Teams Expect to Compete

With the prospects of two new clubs entering the Commercial Baseball League will hold their annual meeting next Monday night at the Tillicum Club, commencing at 8 o'clock, under inspiring auspices. President F. B. Richardson will preside.

Election of officers and plans for the coming season will be discussed.

Last year's four clubs, Sidney, Tillicums, Spencers and the Crescents, all intend to enter this season, although the latter club may play under the colors of the Native Sons of Canada. The two new clubs planning to compete this year are sponsored by the Singer Sewing Machine Company and the New Method Laundry.

Sidney, last year's champions, will field a strong club this year while the Tillicums will trot out practically the same club as in 1926.

TRAIL EASILY REPULSED BY VARSITY TEAM

B.C. Amateur Hockey Champions Suffer Shutout in Second and Final Game

Toronto, March 21—For the first time in many years, representatives of the Ontario Hockey Association may not compete in the hockey classic of the year, the Allen Cup series. With University of Manitoba far in front of Trail, B.C., whom they eliminated 6-0 and 4-0 and now scheduled to face the winner of the Kitchener-Montreal Victorias series, the chances are regarded as favorable for Manitoba to take the trophy west.

Kitchener did not perform impressively in Toronto against the Victorias and lost the first of the two-game series by a single goal after Montreal had scored twice in the first period. The Greenshirts, however, are conceded a fairly even chance against the Victorias for the second game.

Winnipeg, March 21.—British Columbia's invasion of Allan Cup honors ended here last night in the semi-final stage when Manitoba Varsity defeated Trail, the far western contenders, 4-0. This gave the two-game series to the local collegians, 10-0, and they will meet the Eastern Canada champions in the finals.

Varsity's six-goal margin in the first game practically sewed up the series for them, and last night's contest was ragged. Trail tried desperately to overcome their handicap and showed more aggressiveness than in the first game, but the students' defence was too much for them. Varsity players took care of themselves for the Eastern invasion and finished the game in fine fettle.

SCORED EASILY

Varsity assumed a one-goal lead in the first period when Collins went clear through. McVey and McKenzie counted in the middle period, both goals being scored after the Trail defence was well beaten. McVey scored single-handed in the final. Both goalies shone. Jackson's goaltending for Trail was one of the outstanding features of the series.

Varsity have not had a goal scored on them in four games. They leave to-night for Ottawa, where they will play in the Allan Cup final against either Kitchener or Montreal Vics.

The teams were as follows:

Varsity		Trail
Puttee	Goal	Jackson
Williamson	Defence	Reddick
McVey	Defence	Anderson
Blair	Centre	Kendall
Watson	Wing	Wheatley
McKenzie	Wing	Hanson
St. John	Sub	Brennan
Collins	Sub	Mackie

Referee—E. Blondal, Winnipeg.

SUMMARY

First period—1, Varsity, Collins, 17.05.

Second period—1, Varsity, McKenzie, 6.30; 3, Varsity, McVey, 11.45.

Third period—4, Varsity, McVey, 5.40.

PENALTIES

First period—Watson.

Second period—Reddick, Blair.

Third period—Mackie, Watson.

Canadiens Will Watch Montreal and Ottawa Fight In Hot Series

Frenchmen Win Right to Sit on Side-lines and Watch Other Contenders Struggle for Privilege of Meeting Them in Finals; Canadiens Show Class When Forced to by Overwhelming New York Americans; Third Place in American Group Only Position in Doubt

As far as the International Group of the National Hockey League is concerned the teams know just where they are getting off at. Leo Dandurand's red-sweatered Canadiens have won first place and the bye, and Montreal and Ottawa must fight to see which club will go into the finals against the Frenchmen.

When they needed the points Canadiens stepped out last night and overwhelmed the New York Americans, who previously had scored two victories over the Frenchmen. Canadiens cannot be beaten out of first place, no matter how the remaining games finish. Montreal and Ottawa will play a two-game series, and the team scoring the most goals will go into the finals against Canadiens.

ONE PLACE IN DOUBT

The American group of the league still has one position undecided. Boston Rangers are sure of the bye and the New York Rangers are second place winners. Pittsburgh and Detroit, however, have still to fight to see which club will meet the Rangers in the semi-finals.

Pittsburgh have a chance to score two points to-morrow night when they go to Montreal to play the Maroons. If they win the Detroit Cougars will face a tough task, for they must win their final game on Saturday against Boston to be sure of a tie. Pittsburgh have a second chance to win on Saturday when they entertain the Rangers.

In the event of a tie between Pittsburgh and Detroit the issued will be decided on goal average.

To-night the Rangers will play in Chicago.

The standing of the teams is as follows:

INTERNATIONAL GROUP

	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Caladiens	25	10	7	57
Montreal	23	13	6	52
Ottawa	19	13	10	48
Toronto	18	17	8	44
N. Y. Americans	11	28	6	28

AMERICAN GROUP

	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Boston	20	12	11	51
N.Y. Rangers	18	15	9	45
Detroit	18	19	6	42
Pittsburgh	17	17	8	42
Chicago	7	33	3	17

Montreal, March 21.—Canadiens won an easy 5-0 victory from the New York Americans here last night. The game proved to be but a workout for the Frenchmen, who held command of the play at all stages.

Howie Morenz, whirlwind, centre of the Canadiens, performed the "hat trick and materially strengthened his position at the top of the scoring list. After Joliat had scored in the first period Morenz tallied. In the second period he scored two more goals, Gaudreault, a sub, notched the fifth goal.

Americans had few chances to score.

The teams were:

Americans		Canadiens
Forbes	Goal	Hainsworth
Reise	Defence	Gardiner
McKinnon	Defence	Mantha
Himes	Centre	Morenz
Burch	Wing	Joliat
W. Boucher	Wing	Gagne
Bouchard	Sub	Gaudreault
Red Green	Sub	Hart
	Sub	Larochelle

Officials—Hewitson and Marsh.

SUMMARY

First period—1, Canadiens, Joliat, 5.05; 2, Canadiens, Morenz, .53.

Second period—3, Canadiens, Morenz, 4.44; 4, Canadiens, Morenz, 4.01.

Third period—5, Canadiens, Gaudreault, 11.51.

PENALTIES

First period — Himes, McKinnon, Larochelle, Morenz, Boucher.

Second period—Joliat (2), Boucher (2), Red Green, Langlois, Gardiner, Leduc.

Third period — Joliat, Reise, Red Green.

Boston, March 21. — The Boston Bruins dropped their last home game of the season here last night to Toronto Maple Leafs, 6-2. Carson featured the play of the visitors, scoring in each of the three periodh.

Before the final period the Prince of Wales trophy, a huge silver cup, was presented to the Bruins for winning first place in the American division.

Toronto held the lead practically all the way. Carson scored in the first period and Galbraith evened up for Boston, but in the second period Carson tallied again to put the Leafs in front. Herberts and Keeling added two more for Toronto before Harrington got the second goal for Boston. Then Smith and Carson added two more for the Leafs.

The game was cleanly contested.

The teams were:

Boston		Toronto
Winkler	Goal	Roach
Shore	Defence	Duncar
Hitchman	Defence	Ramsay
Galbraith	Wing	Bailey
Oliver	Wing	Keeling
Predrickson	Centre	Herbert
Harrington	Sub	Rodden
Gainer	Sub	Carson
Clapper	Sub	Lowerq
Cleghorn	Sub	Smith

Officials—Berlinquette and Ion.

SUMMARY

First period — 1, Toronto, Carson, 9.03; 2, Boston, Galbraith, 4.18.

Second period—3, Toronto, Carson, 10.27.

Third period—4, Toronto, Herberts, 4.25; 5, Toronto, Keeling, 5.38; 6, Boston, Harrington, .39; 7, Toronto, Smith, 3.43; 8, Toronto, Carson, 1.16.

PENALTIES

First period—Bailey.

Second period—Bailey, Hitchman.

Third period—None.

STRUGGLE FOR LEAD IN DERBY

Payne, Suffering From Tonsolitis, Sees Souminen of Detroit Steal Lead

Holbrook, Ariz., March 21.—Handicapped by an attack of tonsolitis, Andrew Payne, distance runner, to-day contested Arne Souminen's lead in the marathon. One minute and seventeen seconds separated the pair in total elapsed time following yesterday's run from Winslow to Holbrook and to-day they matched paces on the road to Navajo, forty miles from Holbrook. The "hoofers" will have covered 649 miles approximately, when they reach Najavo.

Payne took eight hours to complete yesterday's hike, and finished well down the list. He dropped from first into second place, Souminen, Detroit runner, having a total elapsed time of 106.00.50 and Payne 107.17.

The runners pulled into this point yesterday behind Earl Dilks, of Newcastle, Pa., who set the pace from Winslow, Arizona, to cover the 34.4-mile stretch in 5 hours and 12 minutes. Trailing Dilks closely in yesterday's lap, the seventeenth since the start of the marathon from Los Angeles, was Peter Guvazzi, of Southampton, England, leading British entrant, since the withdrawal of Arthur Newton, of Rhodesia.

Leaders in the race to-day and their elapsed time from Los Angles include:

Arne Souminen, Detroit, 106.00.50.

John Cronick, Saskatoon, 108.05.45.

Peter Gavuzzi, Southampton, England, 110.43.41.

Voights Houfstater, Manistee, 115.-40.25.

John Salo, Passaic, N.J., 117.21.30.

North Shore Meet Esquimalt Eleven Here On Saturday

To meet Esquimalt in a Province Cup match North Shore, of Vancouver, will be here Saturday. The game will be played at the Royal Athletic Park, commencing at 3.30 o'clock, and in view of the outside competition, one of the largest crowds of the season is looked for.

In the last game played on the Mainland these teams battled to a 3-all draw after half an hour's overtime. For part of the last half and the overtime the Dockers played with ten men through Hosmer being injured. With their full team out Saturday Esquimalt feel confident of winning.

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CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS

Famous Figure In Horse Racing Dies While "In Harness"

New York, March 21.—Luke A. Cassidy, a well-known racing official and for the past ten years general manager of prominent track associations, died "in harness" yesterday. He was stricken with a heart attack while watching thoroughbreds work out at Belmont Park, and succumbed at the home of Max Hirsch, a prominent trainer.

Cassidy was born in New York fifty-one years ago. Although never an owner of horses, he grew up with racing and became successively general manager of the Empire City Racing Association of New York, the Maryland State Fair Association of Laurel and the Miami Jockey Club.

Cassidy was called to England last year to supervise construction of a new racing plant outside of London.

In recent years he devoted his time almost entirely to development of the Miami Jockey Club until state laws against betting forced abandonment of racing in Florida last season because of the ban on pari-mutuel machines. Although often associated with Mars Cassidy in the handling of racing programmes he was not related to the famous starter of track classics.

Shade Saves His End Of Purse in Chicago

Chicago, March 21—Dave Shade, the San Francisco middleweight, defended his reputation as a boxer before the Illinois State Athletic Commission yesterday.

Shade was ordered to explain what appeared to be an unsatisfactory showing in his match with Del Fontaine of Winnipeg, claimant of the Canadian middleweight title, Monday night. Members of the commission believed Shade might have finished his opponent with the result that payment of his purse was held up.

The Coast boxer, however, convinced the commissioners that in his last eighty-eight bouts he had only scored two knockouts, that he did not grant Fontaine favors and that he gave his best efforts.

After questioning Fontaine, Eddie Purdy, the referee, and others, Shade's purse was released.

Settlement of the claim over Sammy Mandell's $5,000 forefit to box Jimmy McLarnin in defence of his title here, instead of New York, was deferred a week because of the absence of Eddie Kane, manager of the lightweight champion. Promoter Jim Mullen has claimed the $5,000 on the plea Kane signed with Tex Rickard while Mandell was still under contract to Mullen.

HORSE RACING

Tia Juana, March 21.—Prices in the main were short here yesterday. In winning the fifth race Greenshields, with Louman up, paid $23.40, the highest price of the day.

The results were:

First race, four and one-half furlongs—1, Hehukai, $5.00, $3.20, $2.60; 2, Troubadour, $5.20, $2.60; 3, Blind Hills, $2.80. Time .54.

Second race, six furlongs—1, Sunnyland, $6.20, $4.40, $3.00; 2, Valley Joe, $5.20, $3.20; 3, Picnic, $2.80. Time 1.142-5.

Third race, one mile—1, Barn Dollar, $4.20, $3.00, $2.60; 2, Bramton, $3.20, $2.40; 3, Endadine, $2.40. Time 1.42 1-5.

Fourth race, one mile—1, Rounder, $16.00, $7.60, $4.80; 2, Quoin, $13.20, $10.60; 3, Lake Rock, $6.40. Time 1.42 2-5.

Fifth race, one mile—1, Greenshields, $23.40, $7.20, $4.20; 2, Betty Maloney, $4.60, $2.80; 3, Praise, $3.00. Time 1.41 4-5.

Sixth race, six furlongs—1, Chicory, $20.00, $7.60, $5.60; 2, Hawes, $8.40, $4.40; 3, Privately, $3.20. Time 1.13 1-5.

Seventh race, one mile—1, Hamadan, $8.80, $4.00, $2.60; 2, Palola, $8.20, $4.60; 3, Sanabar, $2.40. Time 1.40.

Eighth race, one mile—Bonnie Marguerite, $7.80, $3.80, $3.20; Heathervale, $4.20, $2.80; 3, Shasta Sheik, $6.40. Time 1.42 1-5.

Ninth race, one mile—1, Hands Up, $5.60, $2.60, $2.20; 2, Bryndear, $3.00, $2.20; 3, Count Vista, $2.80. Time 1.42 1-5.

Australian Rifle Team Invited To Shoot In Canada

Ottawa, March 21—The Australian team, which will take part in the rifle competitions in Bisley this year, have been invited to return by way of this country and compete in the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association matches at Connaught Ranges in August. This was announced by the council of the rifle association in its report presented to-day at the annual meeting of the association held in the Parliament Buildings.

Colonel J. I. McLaren, Hamilton, was present as chairman and those taking part in the discussions included the Governor-General, the Minister of National Defence and the chief of staff.

In a special report formal announcement was made that drastic regulations would be enforced in the future to curb the practice of "padding" uniforms during rifle meets. The report continues:

"Old shots who are capable of putting on scores without accessories to the uniform, have been special offenders in this connection. There is no doubt that the padding has been nipped in the bud at the proper time, as before long it would have brought the Canadian marksmen into contempt."

With regard to an empire prize meet, the report says:

"Since 1923 the association has had in view the holding of an empire prize meeting on the Connaught Rifle Range.

"To successfully carry out this programme, additional financial support is necessary. So far the encouragement received has not been very satisfactory, but we have not lost hope, and because of the many advantages of such meeting that will come to Canada it is expected that our wishes will before long meet with success.

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Farrell Shoots a New Course Record To Capture Tourney

New Yorker Wins $5,000 Prize in Florida Tourney; Cruickshank Second

Miami Beach, Fla., March 21.—Flashing a dazzling brand of golf to shoot a sixty-three in the final eighteen holes for a new course record, Johnny Farrell, Mamaroneck, N.Y., yesterday won the $5,000 first money in the $15,000 La Gorce open golf tournament with a total of 274 for the seventy-two holes.

Bobby Cruickshank, New York, two strokes back of Farrell, with 276, won second place in the $2,500 slice of the big purse, while Joe Kirkwood of Albany, Ga., took the third cut of $1,000, with a 279.

Others finishing in the first ten were as follows: Harry Hampton, Chicago, 282; Gene Sarazen, Newport, Richley, Fla., 283; Tommy Armour, Washington, National open champion, 285; Harry Cooper, Buffalo, 286; Al Espinosa, Chicago, 287; Lloyd Gullickson, Cleveland, 288, and George Voight, Washington amateur, 288.

Farrell's dazzling sixty-three was eight under par for the course, and included six birdies and an eagle, with not a hole above par figures. Cruickshang, like Farrell, was out in the first nine of the afternoon round in thirty, but after that played a steady game to finish the final nine in thirty-nine.

With the Bowlers

The Western Canada Radio won two games from the Eagles in the Commercial League last night.

A. Porter of the Western Canada Radio, carried off individual and aggregate honors with scores of 187 and 513, respectively.

The scores were as follows:

EAGLES				
D. Neill	143	152	150	445
J. Rowe	143	129	159	431
O. Lapp	130	161	161	452
W. Reade	138	149	178	465
W. Richardson	134	143	151	429
Totals	680	734	799	2222

WESTERN CANADA RADIO				
W. Yeamans	176	133	158	467
J. Johnson	151	131	117	399
Geo. Wilkinson	158	164	164	486
V. Irwin	177	126	154	457
A. Porter	170	187	156	513
Totals	823	741	749	2322

Belanger Winner Of Slashing Bout With Toledo Boxer

Portland, March 21—Charley Belanger, Vancouver, B.C., heavyweight, won a decision over Joe Lohman of Toledo, Ohio, in the ten-round main event of a fight card here last night. It was a slashing battle, with Belanger doing the slashing. Lohman was credited only with the first, third and tenth rounds.

In the curtain raiser Bobby Lamar of Portland won a decision over Jimmy Wilde, Winnipeg, at 140 pounds.

Seattle, March 21—Doc Snell, lightweight of Tacoma, won a decision over Billy Burke, San Francisco, in a six-round fight here last night. Both weighed 131½.

Paul Delaney, Spokane middleweight, took a close but popular decision from Ted Krache, Hoquiam.

Los Angeles, March 21—Joe Anderson, Kentucky middleweight, won the decision over Phil Krug, veteran boxer, last night.

Paris, March 21—Bert Molina, soldier of the European middleweight title, outpointed Marcel Thuru in a ten-round bout here last night. Thuru recently returned from a campaign in the United States.

Regina Monarchs Favored to Lift Dominion Title

Toronto, March 21.—East clashes with West at the Arena Gardens here to-night when Ottawa Gunners, conquerors of Montreal Victorias, and Toronto Marlboros, O.H.A. champions in the battle for the Eastern Canada junior hockey championship, face the Regina Monarchs, Western Canada champions, in the first of a two-game series for the Memorial Cup, emblematic of the Dominion championship.

Both teams will have many supporters among the 9,000 fans who will witness the contest, but the critics are inclined to favor the Westerners owing to their size, speed and stickhandling ability, thereby giving the Gunners another chance to upset the calculations of the "pickers" as they did on that memorable occasion at Kingston, against Marlboros.

Varsity Hoop Team Turn Back Kelowna

Kelowna, March 21.—Varsity basketballers won the provincial senior "A" basketball title Monday night by defeating Kelowna Hornets 29-17, in the second game of the final series. Varsity won the first game 30-20, taking the series 59-37, and will go East.

The locals forced the pace from the opening whistle, and kept Varsity on the jump throughout; in fact, the score is no indication of the close playing which brought the 1,000 spectators, who crowded the scout hall, to their feet time and time again with clever plays and sensational efforts. The game was a strenuous one, with both sides checking closely, to keep Referee Yeo busy handing out personals.

Varsity on the two-game series were a better team, but they were forced to the limit Monday night to escape defeat. It was their brilliant shooting that carried the blue and gold to the championship. Grant was especially outstanding, Mayers being checked closely and having little opportunity to show his form of Saturday.

BASEBALL

St. Petersburg, Fla., March 21—The New York Yanks may be champions of the baseball world, but the Boston Braves can lay claim to the title as far as it concerns St. Petersburg. For the third time in as many games the Yanks succumbed to their National rivals yesterday, 4-2.

It was good pitching that turned the tide for Boston. Foster Edwards shut out the champions for five innings with four hits. Ed. Brandt allowed three safeties, all of them in the seventh, when the Yanks scored their brace of runs.

Gehrig went hitless. Ruth got two singles.

The score—	R.	H.	E.
New York Americans	2	7	2
Boston Nationals	4	9	1

Batteries—Pennock, Moore, Shealey and Grabowski; Edwards, Brandt and Taylor.

Ft. Myer, March 21—The New York Giants lost a hard-fought exhibition game to Connie Mack's Philadelphia Athletics yesterday, 6-5, chiefly because Tris Speaker insisted on getting on base with great frequency. Speaker came across with the winning run in the ninth on an infield single by Al Simmons.

After pounding "Lefty" Grove for nine hits in five innings, the Giants could do nothing of account with Eddie Rommell for the remainder of the game.

The score—	R.	H.	E.
New York Nationals	5	11	1
Philadelphia Americans	6	10	2

Batteries—Faulkner, Cantwell, Chapin and Hogan; Grove, Rommell and Fox.

Tampa, Fla., March 21—Bucky Harris led his Washington Senators to a 6-3 victory over Brooklyn in an exhibition game here yesterday. Harris crashed out a double and a triple before giving way to Reeves late in the game.

Reeves in the recruit second baseman.

The score—	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn Nationals	2	9	1
Washington Americans	6	1	1

Batteries—Petty, Vance and Hargreaves; Marberry, Lisenbee and McMullen.

Avon Park, Fla., March 21—Twenty Cardinal players failed to check the Red Sox, and Boston took an 11-8 hitting spree from St. Louis. It was the second loss for the Cardinals in nine exhibitions.

The score—	R.	H.	E.
Boston Americans	11	13	3
St. Louis Nationals	8	12	5

Batteries—Ruffing, Bradley, Garrison and Berry; Hoffman, Haines, Sherdel, Johnson and O'Farrell.

Wichita Falls, Tex., March 21—The Chicago White Sox walloped Wichita Falls, 7-0 yesterday, with Goodell holding the Texas leaguers to two hits. The Sox scored four runs on two hits by McCurdy, Clancy and Metzler, a passed ball, a wild pitch and an error. Stengrafe, a former Sox rookie, pitched for Wichita Falls.

The score—	R.	H.	E.
Chicago Americans	7	9	1
Wichita Falls	0	2	2

Batteries—Goodell and McCurdy; Stengrafe and Cobb.

San Francisco, March 21—The San Francisco Seals pounded two Pittsburgh pitchers around the lot to win 13-5 and make it three out of four exhibition games won from the National league champs. A four-run rally put the Coast leaguers in the lead in the first inning, and they were never headed.

The score—	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburgh Nationals	5	12	3
San Francisco, Coast	13	16	1

Batteries — Lindsey and Smith, Gooch; Moudy, May and Spriz, Reed.

Auburndale, March 21—The Philadelphia Nationals took the Baltimore Internationals in camp, 7-4, in an exhibition game that smacked of midseason flavor.

The score—	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia Nationals	7	13	2
Baltimore Internationals	4	11	0

Two Leading Polo Players Injured In Spills in U.S.

Aiken, S.C., March 21.—America's two ranking polo players have been injured here in as many days.

One of them, Tommy Hitchcock No. 2 on the international polo team, has only a slightly sprained ankle, but the other, Devereaux Milburn, ranking American player, has a broken collar bone. Milburn was hurt yesterday when his horse well over a fence during a hunt.

Hitchcock was hurt Monday while dismounting after a practice match. It was at first reported that he had several broken ribs and a fractured wrist, but these dwindled down to a sprained ankle. He was back on his horse yesterday, but did not play polo.

Milburn was taken to the home of S. S. Von Strade, his brother-in-law. Von Strade said that he would be unable to play for a "couple of months," but since there was no important matches scheduled during that period "it would make no difference."

1 Minute Interviews
WITH SPORTS CELEBRITIES

MARY K. BROWNE SAYS:

"I have no present intention of applying to the tennis or golf associations for reinstatement as an amateur player.

"Before I turned professional I considered every eventuality and I must say that I am not a penitent in the respect that I have any great sin that I feel should be absolved.

"My experience as a professional has been pleasant and rather profitable and certainly it has been more satisfying, because I believe that I have been accepted by the public as an honest athlete, and I do not mean to cast any reflections upon any one.

"I believe the time will come when the tennis association will recognize open competition as the golf association does, and that in not many years to come the class of women professionals in each sport will be larger and more representative. Goodness knows, however, I may not be able to play first-class tennis or golf at that time."

Davis Cup Tennis Matches in Montreal

Montreal, March 21—Japan has expressed its willingness to meet Canada in the second round of the American zone Davis Cup play on the courts of the Mount Royal Tennis Club here, providing they survive the first round play in Cuba.

No word has been received yet from the Cubans as to their willingness should they defeat the Japanese representatives.

The second round match between Canada and the winner of the Japanese-Cuba match will be held around May 26 with the American zone final at Chicago by the first of June, to allow the winners time to sail for France and be ready for the finals there early in July.

ANYBODY SEEN GUS?

Cleveland, Or., March 21.—Ole Wivestead of Duluth, Minn., recently came to Cleveland to visit his friend Gustave Haug. He registered at a hotel and asked the clerk, "Have you seen Gus?" "Gus who?" said the clerk. "Why Gus, everybody knows Gus, Gus Haug." After two days of inquiries Ole changed his mind and went home to Duluth without having found the celebrated Gus.

"TADS" RAGE NO MORE

Covington, Ind., March 21.—The last of the "Raging Tads" is dead. Eighty years ago, Louis R. Hatfield, who was 104 when he died, joined with nineteen other youths to form the club, the purpose of which was to gather once a year for a feast. The Civil War, disease and old age had depleted the rangs until in 1925, only Hatfield was left. The association was dissolved when he drank the bottle of wine which had been provided for the last of the "Raging Tads."

Kansas City, Mo., March 21—Kansas City tore through the defence of the Winnipeg Maroons for a 6-2 victory here last night in the last regular American Association hockey game of the season.

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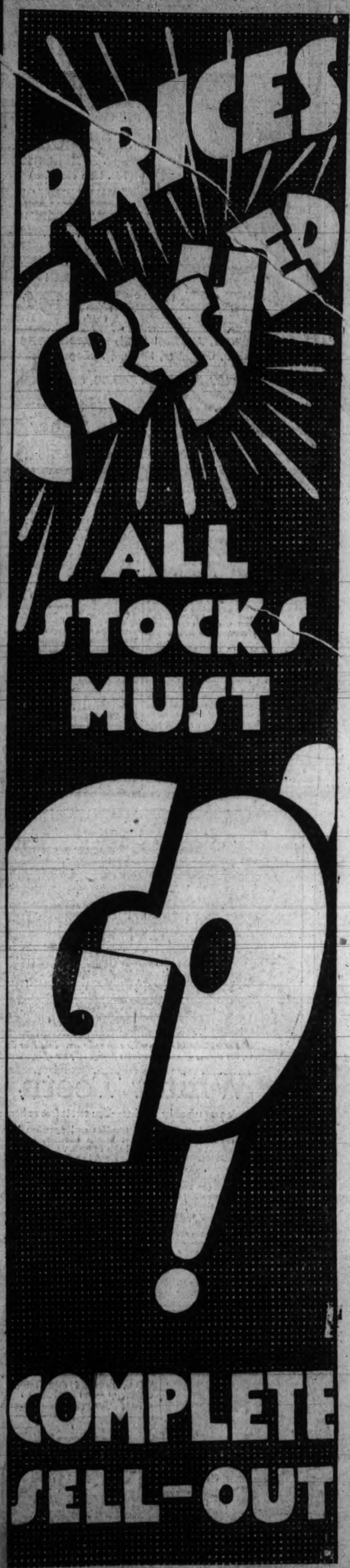

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Births, Marriages, Deaths

DIED

FARR—At 1916 Belmont Avenue, early this morning, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Far.

Funeral private. No flowers.

GRAY—At Royal Jubilee Hospital, March 20, Sybil Sarah Constance Gray, daughter of the late Hon. Mr. Justice Hamilton Gray.

Funeral notice later.

McKAY—The death occurred in this city, on March 19, 1928, of Hugh McKay, aged 84 years, and born in Scotland. The deceased had been a resident of Victoria for the past seven years; his late residence being at 1175 S. Hampshire Road, and formerly being a resident of Edmonton, Alta. The late Mr. McKay leaves to mourn his loss four daughters, Mrs. P. D. Campbell, Mrs. J. E. Mayhew and Mrs. James Thomson, all of Edmonton, Alta., and Mrs. Hugina Steele of Kamloops, B.C.; one son, W. J. McKay of Ossining, N.Y.

The remains are reposing at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon at 3.30. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

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RODGERS—In this city, on March 20, 1928, there passed away Dora Isabelle, beloved wife of Mr. Felix A. Rodgers of 2529 Wark Street, aged 58 years, and born in Watertown, New York, U.S.A. The late Mrs. Rodgers had been a resident of Victoria for the past twenty years. She leaves to mourn her loss, besides her husband, one daughter, Mrs. A. A. Mercer of Victoria; one son, Mr. Felix A. Rodgers of Port Angeles, U.S.A.; two sisters, Mrs. A. J. Close of Port Angeles and Mrs. L. Poquette of Seattle; also seven grandchildren.

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22 MISCELLANEOUS

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MISCELLANEOUS (Continued)

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT—NOTICE of application for beer license. Notice is hereby given that, on the 24th day of April next, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a license in respect of premises being part of the building known as 17-Mile House, situate at Sooke Road, Esquimalt District, upon the lands described as part Sections 118 and 119, Sooke District, Victoria Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle for consumption on the premises. Dated this 19th day of March, 1928. Mary E. Jones, Applicant.

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All creditors of Robert James Matthews, late of the City of Victoria, British Columbia, deceased, are required, on or before the 24th day of April, 1928, to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the undersigned, Solicitors for the Executor of the estate of the said deceased, their names and addresses and full particulars in writing of their claims and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

AND NOTICE is hereby given that after the said 24th day of April, 1928, the said Executor will distribute the deceased's estate among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been received.

Dated at the City of Victoria, B.C., this 21st day of March, 1928.

WHITTAKER & McILLREE,
207-9 Central Bldg., Victoria, B.C.,
Solicitors for the Executor.

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

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Norfolk, March 20.—Arrived: Diana Dollar, San Pedro; Bolivia, Vancouver.

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Sydney, March 17.—Arrived: Makura, San Francisco.

Kobe, March 18.—Arrived: Pennyworth, San Pedro.

Shanghai, March 20.—Arrived: West Kade, Portland.

Osaka, March 18.—Arrived: Birch Bank, San Francisco.

Port Natal, March 18.—Arrived: Hampholm, Vancouver.

Antwerp, March 19.—Arrived: Karachi Maru, Vancouver; March 18—Quebec City, Vancouver.

Wellington, March 19.—Arrived: Waitemata, Vancouver.

Antwerp, March 18.—Sailed: San Francisco, San Francisco.

New York, March 20.—Sailed: Margaret Dollar, San Francisco.

Boston, March 20.—Sailed: China Maru, Vancouver.

Port Arthur, March 20.—Sailed: Point Lobos, San Francisco

New Orleans, March 20.—Sailed: Edward Luckenbach, San Pedro.

Panama Canal, March 19.—Sailed: Salacia, London; Sutherland, Savannah; Ethelwolf, London; William F. Humphrey, Port Castilla; Frank Lynon, Tacoma; Standard Arrow, San Pedro; Watertown, San Pedro; Munindies, San Pedro; Benefactor, Vancouver; Flensburg, Vancouver.

BLANKETS SAVE BABY

Salina, Kan., March 21.—Blankets probably saved the life of the infant son of Mrs. Godfrey Nelson in an auto crash here. In the collision, the Nelson infant was hurled through two windshields but remained unscathed, due to the heavy covers which were wrapped around him.

BRITISH COLUMBIA
Forest Branch, Department of Lands
EXAMINATION FOR THE POSITION OF ASSISTANT FOREST RANGER

These examinations are for the purpose of filling present vacancies and to enable candidates to qualify for future vacancies and increases in staff.

Assistant Forest Rangers

Assistant Forest Rangers are employed during the fire season of each year and this period is extended where possible by work on improvements, such as trails, etc. Reappointment is made each year as long as satisfactory service is given. Promotion to the permanent staff is made by merit and examination as occasion offers. The salary is $100 per month. Traveling expenses are also paid.

Qualifications for Candidates

Candidates must be British subjects, residents in British Columbia for at least one year, of good character, good physical condition and with woods experience.

They should have experience in fire fighting, possess the ability to organize work and handle men; and have knowledge of the Forest Act.

The examinations are partly written, partly oral and are designed to test the candidates' ability along the above lines. All statements made by applicants as to experience, education and fitness are subject to verification by the examining board.

Preference is given to returned soldiers with the necessary qualifications.

The Examination

The examination will be held at the places and on the dates named below. Each intending candidate should apply to the District Forester of his district for application forms and for information regarding the hour of the examination and the building in which it will be held. Application forms should, in each case, be filled out and mailed to the District Forester in time to reach him at least six days before the examination.

Apply to District Forester at Vancouver: For Vancouver, March 8.

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SPLENDID FEATURES WILL BE BROADCAST ON AIR TO-NIGHT

The musical fruit cocktail dinner concert over the National Broadcasting Company's Pacific Coast Network from 6.30 to 7 o'clock this evening will have as its distinctive feature two xylophone

MUSICAL FRUIT COCKTAIL—*Autumn*

Don Herold

solos by Ross Peterson, who has made an enviable reputation on the N.B.C. programmes. Max Dolin's Spanish composition, "Dreamy Madrid Tango," is another of the interesting numbers on this programme. In response to many requests the opening number will be Bagley's "National Anthem March." The vocal ensemble selections, always a bright spot on these dinner programmes, are "There Must Be a Silver Lining" and "It's up to the Band." Victor Herbert's "Cuban Serenade" and "Jarabe," a Mexican fox trot, will complete this half hour of dinner music.

This programme will be broadcast from stations KHQ, Spokane; KOMO, Seattle; KFOA, Seattle; KGW, Portland; KGO, Oakland; KPO, San Francisco, and KFI, Los Angeles.

THE MOTOR MATES

Another chapter of the honeymoon experiences of "Jack and Ethyl, the Motor Mates," will be unfolded during the half hour broadcast to-night from 8 to 8.30 o'clock, through the associated stations of the N.B.C. Pacific Coast Network.

New scenes and happenings along the roads to romance will be revealed. A tone and word picture will describe places visited and the interesting incidents in the travels of "Jack and Ethyl, the Motor Mates."

The programme is designed to promote interest in travel and acquaint the radio audience with the scenic charms of the three Pacific Coast states, California, Washington and Oregon.

ROYAL AMBASSADORS

Revelling in the realm of musical comedies the Royal Ambassadors will present their weekly half hour programme to the radio audience of the N.B.C. Pacific Coast Network to-night in the half hour beginning at 8.30 o'clock.

The magic spotlight will carry in its rays scenes from many successful musical productions. Playing for their first number selections from Friml's musical comedy "Katinka," the Royal Ambassadors will regale radiotes with a diversity of orchestral and vocal hits.

Among the most familiar on the programme are "My Dream Girl" from Herbert's "The Dream Girl," a tenor solo; "Tea For Two" from "No, No, Nannette" will be played by the orchestra, and the favorite Jessel com-

ROYAL AMBASSADORS

position, "Parade of the Wooden Soldiers," also an orchestral offering. The details of the half hour follow:

MINES PROGRAMME

The second of the newly inaugurated Northwest Mines programme will be broadcast over the N.B.C. Pacific Coast Network to-night from 9 to 9.30 o'clock.

With Indian music typical of the early days of the Northwest supplying the setting, the programme is vividly descriptive and entertaining. The educational feature of the half hour is revealed in the slogan "Investigate Before You Buy Stocks." Further details of this programme are not available at this time.

TIME SIGNAL

The Longines time signals will be given this evening at 9 o'clock from stations KHQ, Spokane; KOMO, Seattle;

KFOA, Seattle; KGW, Portland; KGO, Oakland; KPO, San Francisco.

DANCE ORCHESTRA

An hour of dance music will be presented to-night from 10 to 11 o'clock by the N.B.C. dance orchestra from the

NBC Dance Orchestra

San Francisco studios of the National Broadcasting Company. This dance programme will be broadcast from stations KGW, Portland; KPO, San Francisco, and KFI, Los Angeles.

FIRST DOCTOR AT EIGHTY

Brownwood, Texas, March 21.—Although eighty years old, L. C. Boynton, owner of the Comanche County Curios, has had a doctor for the first time in his long healthy life. Infection settling in his shoulder and side from a boil, forced Boyton to call a doctor.

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OUT OUR WAY —By WILLIAMS

ON THE AIR

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22

CFCT (475.9) Victoria, B.C.
6.30 p.m.—What's doing in town.
7.10 p.m.—New York stock quotations from the B.C. Bond Corporation; official weather report and forecast; McGill Observatory time signal.
8 p.m.—Stevenson's players will present the first play of a series dealing with life on the Canadian Prairies, entitled "The Land of Our Fathers." The play this evening is entitled "The Clodhopper."

National Broadcasting Company
6.30-7 p.m.—Musical Fruit Cocktail.
8-8.30 p.m.—The Motor Mates.
8.30-9 p.m.—Royal Ambassadors.
9 p.m.—Time signal.
9-9.30 p.m.—Mines programme.
10-11 p.m.—N.B.C. dance orchestra.

KFWI (267.7) San Francisco, Cal.
5-5.30 p.m.—Brunswick concert.
6-7 p.m.—Pianist; baritone; soprano.
7-7.15 p.m.—Sports review.
7.15-7.30 p.m.—Salesmanship.
8-9 p.m.—Studio programme.
9-9.15 p.m.—Question box.
9.15-9.55 p.m.—Dance music.
9.55-10 p.m.—Police reports.
10-11 p.m.—Dance music.

KFWB (252.7) Hollywood, Cal.
6-6.30 p.m.—Dinner music.
6.30-7 p.m.—Entertainers.
7-7.15 p.m.—Address.
7.15-7.45 p.m.—String quintette.
7.45-8 p.m.—Daily news.
8-9 p.m.—Soprano; concert trio.
9-10 p.m.—Popular songs; orchestra.
10-11 p.m.—Varsitonians.

KFJR (239.9) Portland, Ore.
5.15-5.30 p.m.—Code class.
7-8 p.m.—New York Day by Day.
8-9 p.m.—Studio programme.

KHQ (370.3) Spokane, Wash.
6-6.30 p.m.—Orchestra.
6.30-7 p.m.—Orchestra.
8-10 p.m.—N.B.C. programme.

KFON (241.8) Long Beach, Cal.
6-6.15 p.m.—Happiness and Harmony.
6.15-6.45 p.m.—Concert orchestra.
6.45-7 p.m.—Understand Your Child.
7-7.30 p.m.—Studio programme.
7.30-8 p.m.—Texas Cowboys.
8-8.10 p.m.—Municipal band.
8.10-8.20 p.m.—Announcements.
8.20-9 p.m.—Municipal band.
9-9.30 p.m.—Quartette.
10.30-11 p.m.—Organ recital.
11-12 p.m.—Orchestra.
12 p.m.-1 a.m.—Dance programme.

KPLA (263) Los Angeles, Cal.
5-5.30 p.m.—Spanish course.
5.30-6 p.m.—Sundown frolic.
6-7 p.m.—Dinner hour programme.
7.30-8 p.m.—Piano recital.
8-9 p.m.—Quintette and soloists.
9-10 p.m.—Soprano; baritone and pianist.
10-11 p.m.—Musical keys.

KOMO (309.1) Seattle, Wash.
8-9.30 p.m.—N.B.C. programme.
9.30-10.30 p.m.—Piano; tenor; soprano.
10.30-11 p.m.—Mixed quartette.
11-12 p.m.—Olympic orchestra.
12 p.m.-12.30 a.m.—Piano solos; tenor.
6.30-7 p.m.—N.B.C. programme.

KGO (384.4) Oakland, Cal.
7-7.30 p.m.—Farm programme.
8-9 p.m.—N.B.C. programme.
9-9.30 p.m.—N.B.C. programme.
10-11 p.m.—Dance orchestra.
9.30-10 p.m.—Negro choir.

KJR (348.6) Seattle, Wash.
5-5.30 p.m.—Junior hour.
5.30-5.45 p.m.—Studio programme.
6-6.30 p.m.—Sports, news.
6.30-7.30 p.m.—Dinner concert.
7.30-8.30 p.m.—Studio programme.
8.30-9 p.m.—Knight-en-sales.
9-10 p.m.—Studio programme.
10-11 p.m.—Dance orchestra.

KFWM (236.1) Oakland, Cal.
6-7 p.m.—Dinner hour programme.

KTAB (280.2) Oakland, Cal.
6.45-7.30 p.m.—Shopping hour.
8-10 p.m.—Trillium trio.

KFOA (447.5) Seattle, Wash.
6-6.30 p.m.—Sightseeing hour.
6.30-7 p.m.—N.B.C. programme.
7-7.30 p.m.—Variety programme.
7.30-7.45 p.m.—Poultry talk.
7.45-8 p.m.—Book chat.
8-10 p.m.—N.B.C. programme.
10-10.15 p.m.—Something About Everything.

CNRV (291) Vancouver, B.C.
10-11 p.m.—Salon orchestra.

KFI (468.5) Los Angeles, Cal.
5 p.m.—Big Brother Bob.
5.30 p.m.—Male quartette.
6.30 p.m.—N.B.C. programme.
7 p.m.—Georgia O. George.
7.30 p.m.—Blues and ballads.
8 p.m.—N.B.C. programme.
9 p.m.—N.B.C. programme.
9.30 p.m.—Studio programme.
10 p.m.—N.B.C. programme.

KGW (491) Portland, Ore.
6-6.30 p.m.—Concert trio.
6.30-7 p.m.—N.B.C. programme.
7-7.30 p.m.—Concert.
7.30-7.45 p.m.—Poultry talk.
7.45-8 p.m.—Utility service.
8-9 p.m.—N.B.C. programme.
9-9.30 p.m.—N.B.C. programme.
9.30-10 p.m.—Concert.
10-11 p.m.—N.B.C. programme.
11-12 p.m.—Olympic orchestra.

KYA (261.2) San Francisco, Cal.
6-6.15 p.m.—News items.
6.40-7 p.m.—Talks.
7-8 p.m.—Lecture. "Reincarnation."
9-10 p.m.—Orchestra; baritone.
10-1 p.m.—Orchestra; ballad singer.
1-12 p.m.—Dance orchestra.

KNX (336.9) Los Angeles, Cal.
5-5.45 p.m.—Chet Mittendorf.
6-6.30 p.m.—Dinner programme.
6.30-7 p.m.—Concert orchestra.
7-7.30 p.m.—Playgoers' Club.
8-9 p.m.—Courtesy programme.
9-10 p.m.—Courtesy programme.
10-11 p.m.—Hotel orchestra.
11-12 p.m.—Hotel orchestra.

KGA (526.7) Spokane, Wash.
5.15-6 p.m.—Service talks.
7.15-12 p.m.—Musical programmes.

KPO (42.3) Spokane, Wash.
5-6 p.m.—Children's hour.
5-6.30 p.m.—The Daily Rec-logue.
6.30-7 p.m.—N.B.C. programme.
7-7.30 p.m.—Instrumental trio.
8-9 p.m.—Orchestra.
9-10 p.m.—Morris Plan hour.
10-12 p.m.—Dance orchestra.

KFQW (217.3) Seattle, Wash.
5.45-6 p.m.—Financial service.
6-7.30 p.m.—Dinner concert.
8.30-10 p.m.—Soprano; piano.
10-12 p.m.—Dance programme.

KFRC (454.3) San Francisco, Cal.
5.30-6.20 p.m.—Mac and his sons.
6.20-6.30 p.m.—Stage and screen.
6.30-7.30 p.m.—The Cecilians.
8-9 p.m.—Orchestra with soloists.
9-10 p.m.—Melody hour.
10-11 p.m.—Orchestra.
11-12 p.m.—Balconades orchestra.

KEX (277.6) Portland, Ore.
6.30-7 p.m.—Children's hour.
7-8 p.m.—Dance orchestra.
8-9 p.m.—Studio programme.
9-10 p.m.—Musicale.
10-12 p.m.—Dance frolic.

KHJ (399.8) Los Angeles, Cal.
5-6 p.m.—Twilight musicale.
6-6.15 p.m.—Nightly doings.
6.15-6.45 p.m.—Ampico programme.
6.45-7 p.m.—World-wide news.
7-8 p.m.—Songs of yesterday.
9-10 p.m.—Soprano.
10-11 p.m.—Dance orchestra.

THURSDAY, MARCH 22

CFCT (475.9) Victoria, B.C.
the B.C. Bond Corporation.
8 a.m.—New York stock quotations from.

EIGHT DROWNED

Stromness, Orkney Islands, March 21.—Six members of the crew of the trawler Lord Devonport, which went ashore Sunday, were rescued by coastguards yesterday.

Eight others of the crew were drowned.

MOONRISE AND MOONSET

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, for the month of March, 1928:

Date	Rises	Sets	Moon's Phases
1	12.30 p.m.	4.24 a.m.	
2	1.43 p.m.	5.16 a.m.	
3	2.59 p.m.	6.07 a.m.	
4	4.04 p.m.	6.59 a.m.	
5	5.15 p.m.	8.55 a.m.	
6	6.23 p.m.	7.17 a.m.	6 Full
7	7.11 p.m.	7.36 a.m.	
8	8.20 p.m.	7.54 a.m.	
9	9.41 p.m.	8.11 a.m.	
10	10.46 p.m.	8.30 a.m.	
11	11.51 p.m.	8.50 a.m.	
12	...	9.14 a.m.	
13	0.56 a.m.	9.44 a.m.	
14	2.00 a.m.	10.21 a.m.	14 Last Quarter
15	2.59 a.m.	11.06 a.m.	
16	3.53 a.m.	12.03 p.m.	
17	4.38 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	
18	5.16 a.m.	2.24 p.m.	
19	5.47 a.m.	3.36 p.m.	
20	6.13 a.m.	5.03 p.m.	
21	6.37 a.m.	6.23 p.m.	21 New
22	7.00 a.m.	7.43 p.m.	
23	7.23 a.m.	9.11 p.m.	
24	7.47 a.m.	10.35 p.m.	
25	8.17 a.m.	11.56 p.m.	
26	8.53 a.m.	...	
27	9.37 a.m.	1.13 a.m.	
28	10.31 a.m.	2.21 a.m.	28 1st Quarter
29	11.34 a.m.	3.16 a.m.	
30	12.43 a.m.	4.00 a.m.	
31	1.54 a.m.	4.34 a.m.	

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith, M.P.P., will be the principal speaker at a Liberal meeting to be held at the Community Hall, Cobble Hill on Saturday.

Alexander Stevens, taxi driver, was fined $5 in the City Police Court this morning for failing to have a chauffeur's license for 1928. Magistrate Jay warned taxi drivers in general, he said, when he reprimanded the defendant.

William James was fined $25 in the City Police Court this morning when convicted on a charge of driving to the common danger on Douglas Street at 12.10 o'clock on the night of March 18. Constable P. W. Richards testified against the defendant.

"Possibilities of Victoria as an Airport," will be the subject of an address by Sydney Pickles, honorary secretary of the Victoria Aero Club, before the Rotary Club at the regular luncheon of that organization at the Empress Hotel to-morrow. Mrs. Arthur Dowell will be the soloist.

Fishing for crabs in Rose Bay, Esquimalt this week, youths caught a King crab, a mammoth variety of deep sea crab, weighing several pounds and measuring some fifteen inches between claw-tips. The crab is on display in the windows of W. N. Lenfesty, Government Street.

Fifty years ago the first telephone equipment was brought into Victoria by the late R. B. McMicking from Portland. From this small enterprise the big network of telephones in Victoria and vicinity has been built up under the B.C. Telephone Company. In May 1880, the first exchange was opened in Victoria.

The annual reunion dinner of the 67th Battalion Western Scots is to be held at the Elysium Hotel, Vancouver at 7 o'clock on Saturday evening next. Any members of the battalion or their wives who desire reduced transportation should get in touch immediately with Major Stanley Okell at the Red Cross workshop, or Sergt. Whittingham, at Little & Taylor's.

Bishop Willard Brewing, who generally visits British Columbia every second year, has been for the last month in New Westminster and Vancouver. He will be here for a week, arriving next Saturday and holding a confirmation in the Reformed Episcopal Church Sunday morning. From Monday to Friday following he will speak every evening in the church at 8 o'clock.

A run of grilse in Saanich Arm is reported by trollers who went out over the week-end, and returned with good catches. In one instance a local angler laid aside his troll and succeeded in catching several grilse with rod and fly, said to be an unusual occurrence as the grilse do not usually rise at that artificial lure. A large number of boys and girls went out fishing at Brentwood this afternoon for the Wednesday half-holiday.

A large audience greeted W. H. Blackaller and E. E. Richards in the King's Hall last night. The addresses on the general theme of "The Close of This Dispensation' were listened to with great interest. To-night Mr. Richards will speak on "The Shadow of the Great Tribulation," and Mr. Blackaller will take for his subject, "The Coming of the King.' This will conclude the series. The meeting will commence at 8 o'clock.

HAD RESIDED HERE FOR TWENTY YEARS

Mrs. Dora Isabelle Rogers, wife of Felix A. Rogers of 2539 Wark Street, a resident of this city for twenty years, passed away yesterday at the age of fifty-eight. The late Mrs. Rogers was born in Watertown, New York, and is survived by her husband, one daughter, Mrs. A. A. Mercer of Victoria; one son, Felix A. Rogers of Port Angeles, U.S.A.; two sisters, Mrs. A. J. Close of Port Angeles, Mrs. L. Poquette of Seattle; also seven grandchildren. The remains are at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. W. W. Barker will officiate. Intermet will take place in Ross Bay Cemetery.

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ROAD CHANGE WOULD NEED LEGISLATION

Sutherland to Consult Municipalities on Revision of Existing System

While the Provincial Government is considering the advisability of paying for the entire cost of primary roads and paying nothing towards secondary roads, such a revision of the present road policy could not be undertaken without legislation at the next session of the Legislature, Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, explained to-day.

"The present system by which the Province contributes both to the cost of primary and secondary roads in municipalities is covered by law and could be changed only under new legislation," the Minister explained. "During this year the Department will get the views of the municipalities on proposed changes in the existing system with a view to action later. Municipal authorities consulted so far whereby the Province would take over the entire cost of secondary highways. This would avoid the present difficulty of securing prompt agreements between the Province and municipalities on new road work. The Government and the municipalities would be able to lay out their road plans individually and proceed with them without the necessity of consulting one another and reaching agreements on work to be done."

Anonymous Gift To Aid Completion Of Cathedral Nave

An anonymous gift of $250, included among subscriptions received through the mail this morning, together with amounts reported at a meeting of city canvassers held last night in the Memorial Hall, have brought the fund for completing the nave of the new Christ Church Cathedral to a total of $54,634.

J. E. Wilson, chairman of the committee for completing the nave, who presided at last evening's meeting, encouraged the canvassers in their work by stating that the response made to date to the committee's appeal for $100,000 indicated that a large number of citizens were in favor of the nave being finished. "At the same time," he urged, "we shall all have to work hard, and impress upon people the opportunity we all have of securing this fine building for Victoria. It may not be easy to solicit the balance required, and we must make it known that the assistance of everyone favorable to the undertaking is needed."

Representatives of the new cathedral committee have been appointed in charge of a table in Messrs. Spencer's store for the rest of the week, where photographs and a model of the building are displayed at the Douglas Street entrance. Subscriptions are also being received at the Memorial Hall, 912 Vancouver Street, the city canvass being confined to those engaged in business and professional occupations in the main commercial section of the city.

DR. DORCHESTER TO GIVE FINAL LECTURE TO-NIGHT

Seating accommodation continued to be a problem as Dr. Dorchester delivered the second of his lectures in the Chamber of Commerce last evening.

"Man existed before anything was known of vitamines or calories," stated the speaker, "and the commonsense of diet consists in securing a wide variety of all classes of foods in as near to their natural condition as possible."

B.C. apples or grapes are quite as effective for health or cure as California oranges, said the speaker.

The concluding lecture takes place this evening. Shown, perhaps, for the first time in Victoria, certain X-ray pictures of internal organs have created so much interest that several more will be shown to-night.

Due to lack of an adequate spotlight for the muscular exposition last night, this will be part of to-night's programme.

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CARIBOO RANCH IS SUBJECT OF CLAIM BY OWNER

A. Macauley Sues J. M. G. Smith Over Lease of $50,000 Ranch

Annulment of the lease of $150,000 ranch in the Cariboo District, the payment of $4,000 alleged to be due on the lease, and an accounting is sought by Archibald Macauley, a retired rancher of 417 Linden Avenue, in suit opened against Joseph M. G. Smith in Supreme Court to-day, before Mr. Justice Gregory. P. J. Sinnott appears for the plaintiff, and A. D. Crease for the defendant, a rancher of Alexis Creek, B.C.

On the witness stand this morning Archibald Macauley stated he had met the defendant in March, 1924, when an agreement was entered into whereby Mr. Smith would lease the ranch for a five-year period, and operate it on a standard agreed upon. The rental was to have been $2,000 a year, including the ranch, houses, stock, and all equipment on the farm, which witness said was valued at $50,000.

At the time of the agreement the ranch was stocked with 550 head of cattle, eighteen horses, sixty sheep, and over 100 hogs. The cattle, to the number of 537, were counted by the plaintiff in company with the defendant, as an inventory was being prepared. The cattle were worth $20 a head at that time, but have since doubled in value, stated witness. Defendant was offered an option on the ranch at a purchase price of $50,000.

Plaintiff now claims the forfeiture of the lease, and the payment of sums said to be due in rent. The hearing continues.

VICTORIA WRITER DIES ON MAINLAND

Vancouver, March 21.—L. McLeod Gould, well-known writer of Victoria, died in the General Hospital here yesterday afternoon. He served with the 102nd Battalion and wrote a history of that unit entitled "From B.C. to Baiseaux." While overseas he was decorated with the Military Service Medal and the Belgian Croix de Guerre. He was a Cambridge M.A.

Mr. Gould for several years contributed to publications here under the nom de plume of "The Lounger."

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Thomas Pearson of South Turner Street, left this afternoon on a visit to friends on the Mainland.

MISS VICTORIA II. HELD BY CUSTOMS

Activities of Speedy Cruiser Will Be Investigated By Department

The speed boat, Miss Victoria II, capable of doing thirty-five knots an hour, which for many months is said to have shown her heels to prohibition agents of the United States, has been seized by the customs department here, it was learned to-day. Her recent activities across the Straits will be investigated, it is understood.

The seizure of the craft was made by special customs preventive officer George E. Norris. Mr. Norris refused to make any announcement regarding the seizure this morning. F. W. Davey, collector of national revenue here, confirmed the report that the vessel was being held for investigation.

The Miss Victoria II was recently off the coast near Port Angeles, and part of her cargo was seized on the beach by United States revenue officers. The fast cruiser, however, succeeded in getting away and made this port.

TWO COUNCILS TOUR SAANICH PLAYGROUNDS

Victoria-Saanich Beaches and Parks Committee on Annual Survey

Control of Airports, Taxation of Gorge Park and Other Subjects Are Up

An all-day tour of the Victoria-Saanich Beaches and Park Committee got under way at the City Hall at 9 a.m. to-day. The tour is headed by the chief magistrates of both municipalities.

Leaving in cars the party set out to visit beach and park site in Saanich which are under the joint control of the city and Saanich. Chamber of Commerce officials accompanied the party.

There was a luncheon stop at midday, followed by a brief business conference between the members of the respective councils on problems mutual to both municipalities, and yet not covered in the beaches and parks routine. Taxation is one of the subjects taken up and also the status of municipalities in the control of public airports.

City delegates ask an understanding in regard to the taxation and upkeep cost of the Gorge Park. An adjustment whereby Saanich assumes joint responsibility for that playground may be reached as a result of to-day's tour. Mayor J. C. Pendray and Reeve William Crouch, accompanied by a delegation from both City and Saanich Councils made up the party.

LONG LABOR FOR CHARITIES ENDS

Mrs. Christina Darling Watson, Native Daughter, Passes

Mrs. Christina Darling Watson, wife of Thomas Watson of 1777 Bay Street, a prominent woman, worker and native daughter of Victoria, died at the Jubilee Hospital to-day at 12.30 p.m.

She leaves, besides her husband, two brothers, J. W. Sinclair of New Westminster, and Dugald Sinclair, Victoria, and six sisters, Mrs. M. Medana, Port Townsend; Mrs. Frank Bowser, Vancouver; Mrs. J. W. Acreman, Victoria; Mrs. W. A. Kippen, Victoria; Mrs. Harry Rudge, Victoria; Mrs. James Woollet, Victoria, and Mrs. H. Le Roy Burgess, also of this city. There are three sons, J. A. Watson, W. G. Watson and T. M. Watson; two daughters, Marjorie Watson and Mrs. G. B. Elliott, and one grandchild, G. B. Elliott Jr., surviving Mrs. Watson.

During the war Mrs. Watson was active in Red Cross work, while her husband and three sons were overseas. She was also associated with the Friendly Help for many years. She was a member of the Women's Canadian Club, Guild of St. Barnabas Church and other women's organizations. Mrs. Watson was particularly well known for her charity work here.

The funeral arrangements await the arrival of W. G. Watson, who is at present at Hazelton, B.C.

OBITUARY

There passed away this morning at the family residence, 1367 Seaview Avenue, Jessie Murray, aged seventy-one years, wife of Robert Murray The late Mrs. Murray was born in Scotland and resided here for five years. She is mourned by her husband and four daughters, Mrs. G. McDonald of Oaklands, Cal., Mrs. E. Fendon Tweed, Ont., Mrs. W. R. Carson, Los Angeles, Cal., and Mrs. H. Munch, Orriville, Cal., also four sons, Robert A., of Malta, Montana; James M., Content, Montana; William W. Dovercourt, Alberta, and Thomas, Forestburg, Alberta. The remains are resting at McCall Brothers' Funeral Home. Announcement of the funeral will be made later.

The death occurred at the Jubilee Hospital this morning of Sybil Constance Gray, daughter of the late Mr. Justice Hamilton Gray. The remains are reposing at the B.C. Funeral Chapel pending funeral arrangements.

The infant son of Prof. and Mrs. E. S. Farr passed away at the residence 1916 Belmont Avenue, this morning. Funeral services will be private and it is requested that no flowers be sent.

The funeral of Percival Richard Abel, who died at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Saturday last, was held yesterday afternoon from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Relatives, brother Odd Fellows and many friends attended the service which was conducted by Rev. J. B. Rowell. Many beautiful flowers covered the casket. The hymns sung were "It Is Well With My Soul" and "Peace, Perfect Peace." At the graveside the Odd Fellows' burial service was read by Bro. P. W. Dempster and Bro. A. C. Curtis. The pallbearers were Bros. J. Pottinger, A. Sedgley, D. Henry and C. Munn. Interment was made in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

BIG MARKETS FOR VICTORIA VEGETABLES

British Columbia and Local District Have Opportunity, Says J. A. Grant

"The prairie markets are a preserve for B.C. grown products," said J. A. Grant, British Columbia Marketing Commissioner, who addressed a meeting under the auspices of the industrial group of the Chamber of Commerce to-day.

Strawberries and hothouse products produced in Victoria and surrounding districts had established for themselves a reputation, said Mr. Grant, for their high quality.

What he wished to impress upon his hearers, he asserted, was the answer to the question: "Is there a market for early vgetables in fresh form? And if a surplus is grown, what will become of it?"

PRAIRIE DEMAND

The three prairie provinces, Mr. Grant asserted, demanded broccoli, asparagus and spinach, with peas, string beans and corn to follow later. Any surplus of these vegetables, he said, could be absorbed by the markets demanding canned goods all the year.

California had practically ended its shipping season when Victoria was starting, the speaker said. Walla Walla was the great competitor for prairie markets. Victoria had the advantage of the hothouse products which it could ship in its cars of rhubarb, and which would bring a good price and be readily snapped up in small lots anywhere on the prairies. As the season advanced, he said, peas and early beans could be included, as well as early potatoes and carrots.

In the lower Fraser districts there was a great amount of rhubarb produced but few vegetables, Mr. Grant said. A mixed car of vegetables, however, would be bought at a considerable advance over a straight rhubarb car, whether home grown or imported. Here was Victoria's opportunity he said.

Dealing with the lettuce market, Mr. Grant stated that a broker had informed him that Calgary alone could absorb fifteen carloads of good head lettuce in Victoria's shipping season. Trial shipments have met with all requirements. There should be a market for at least 100 carloads of lettuce every year in prairie cities, he added.

CHANCE TO PROFIT

There was an opportunity for British Columbia producers shown by figures which Mr. Grant quoted.

Canada imported from the United States in 1927 great quantities of canned vegetables, all of which could be grown, canned and shipped from this Province. The following was the list he read:

Asparagus, 1,267,243 pound, valued at $185,211; beans, 1,963,000 pounds, valued at $116,992; corn, 1,990,156 pounds, valued at $126,575; peas, 1,066,098 pounds, valued at $82,095; tomatoes, 242,046 pounds, valued at $13,467; vegetable (N.O.P.), 2,425,661 pounds, valued at $196,484.

VALUE OF SHOWS

Mr. Grant stressed the value of advertising, and asserted that the T. Eaton Company exhibition in Winnipeg last month had brought over 300,000 persons into contact with British Columbia produce exhibited there. There was no question of the value of such publicity.

Such advertisement would bring settlers as well as customers, Mr. Grant concluded.

WEALTH HERE

"There is a vast amount of potential wealth in surrounding agricultural districts of Victoria, and the development of these areas is to the advantage of Victoria," said P. B. Fowler, introducing the speaker. Advertising was the best means of creating a market for the produce of Vancouver Island, he said. Uniformity in grading and packing was a first essential, he went on, and collective and co-operative measures were advisable.

H. Despard Twigg, M.P.P., moved a vote of thanks to Mr. Grant.

FORMER VICTORIAN WINS DECORATION

Col. J. Sclater, Formerly Prohibition Commissioner in Victoria, Is Honored

Of interest to his many friends in Victoria is the announcement in the current issue of The Canadian Gazette of the award of the Colonial Auxiliary Force officers' decoration to Lieut.-Colonel J. Sclater, D.S.O., formerly of the 29th Battalion in Vancouver and for a number of years a resident of Victoria where he held the position of prohibition commissioner.

Col. Sclater, who is well-known in British Columbia, was born in Kirkwall, in the Orkney Island on February 15, 1867 and arrived in Vancouver in 1889 where he took a position with the Canadian Pacific Railway. He first worked as ticket seller in the old wooden station with George McL. Brown, later Sir George. Col. Sclater remained with the C.P.R. until 1905 when he became a partner in the firm of Macdonald, Marpole Company, which position he retained until the outbreak of the Great War when he left Vancouver for the France with the 29th Battalion. He acted as an instructor in musketry and later saw service at the front. In 1917 he was gazetted lieutenant-colonel and in December of that year was transferred to British army headquarters in Italy. In January 1920 he was transferred to the officers' reserve. Col. Sclater had been interested in all things military long before the outbreak of the war. In 1904 he joined the Sixth Duke of Connaught's Own Rifles as a lieutenant. He was the crack shot of that regiment and represented it at Bisley in 1906 and 1912.

At the close of the war he returned to the Pacific Coast and for two years was prohibition commissioner in Victoria. In 1920 he returned to Vancouver where he re-entered the service of the Canadian Pacific Railway being appointed in 1921 to act as that company's representative in Australia with headquarters at Sydney, N.S.W.

The Hustlers Club of the Victoria City Temple will give a vaudeville entertainment at Marigold Hall on Friday evening, March 23, at 8 o'clock.

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Rodrey S.	—
Lydia B.	116
Mister K.	116
Wrench	116
D. Jinn	116
Hill and Hill	—
Crittal	116
Bunkerjills	106
Ranee	113

Second race—Five and one-half furlongs.

Brox	108
Rural Gossip	104
Davis Jr.	109
Snowden	117
Alporters	113
May Baker	99
Swift Lady	110
Handsome Star	102
Sedge	104
Frank S.	112
Weathervane	108
Acquitted	108
Circuit	101
Lemon Seth	113
Mickey Free	115
Mary Maud Carr	107
Mary Dear	107
Regular Girl	115

Third race—One mile and one quarter.

Zing	101
Spear Shot	101
Black Mask	105
Olive Bunn	95
Old Faithful	109
Ben Kripp	105
Alice Loraine	98
Bramton	109
Barber Bill	104
Mint Julep	103
Ask Him	109
Curler	101
Seagreen	112
Evelyn Brown	103
Scarley Bugler	101

Fourth race—Clubhouse course.

James B. Brown	111
Glassfull	118
Wee Girl	108
Queen Bess	108
Combat	108
Conclusive	108
Klickitat Bum	111
Herdsman	111
Rob Roy	111
Singapore	111
Ojo	109
Sweet and Low	109
Quoin	111
Miss Fountain	107

Fifth race—Clubhouse course.

My Daddy	111
Fire Captain	109
Bank Jr.	111
Debtor	111
Confluente	111
Maurice Mulcahy	111
Old Broadway	111
Lake Rock	109
Air Castle	113
Matilda B.	107
Trinket	111
Legoon	109
Coalescence	109
Billy Todd	111

Sixth race—Mile and a quarter:

Chiapas	113
Tennessee	108
Shoeshine	97
Spearo	113
Boss Hughes	113
Montdale	113
Minnesota	197
Indian Tales	116
Rockbomb	113
Heathervale	97
Supervisor	113
Marengo	113

Seventh race—Six furlongs:

Plata Real	106
Proctor Hug	—
Alexander Pantages	105
Polita	97
Shasta Rose	97
Shasta Pine	109
Frank G. Menke	99
Fat	114

Eighth race—Clubhouse course.

Bryn Dear	107
Jack Knight	105
Foe	105
Modd	105
Belle K.	107
Volt	104
Huquince	107
War Bells	107
Merryman	109
Betty Maloney	107
Go Gold	110
Beauty Star	104
San Carlos	109
Coffield	105

Ninth race—One mile and one-sixteenth.

Tod Sloan	107
Watch the Time	111
Lorena Marcellis	104
Liberty	103
Palolo	105
Shasta Negra	106
Dr. Clark	104

Weather clear, track fast.

SHIP ASHORE

San Francisco, March 21—The steamer Horace Luckenbach went aground on soft mud on the Oakland side of the bay last night, but was refloated early to-day.

CANADIAN FARMER

Nanaimo, March 21—The steamship Canadian Farmer, which went aground last night off Gallows Point, floated off this morning at 4 o'clock under her own power.

According to the captain, the ship was not damaged and will likely proceed to Ocean Falls to-day.

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TO-DAY'S GRAIN MARKETS

(By Branson, Brown & Co. Limited)

Winnipeg, March 21.—Wheat: The wheat market gave another exhibition of strength to-day, prices reaching new highs on the movement. Trade volume in this market was not large, the main strength, apparently being in Chicago. The market was slightly higher during the first part of session with moderate buying by seaboard houses, but there was sufficient wheat for sale coming from country liquidation and after the demand was satisfied the market turned quiet and on a little liquiadtion by longs the market declined to ½ cent under last night's close. At this period Chicago turned strong and buying orders were coming in from that city to buy Winnipeg October, while seaboard houses were again buying May and prices in all three future months were forced up 1 cent from the low point.

Export sales Tuesday were the largest in some time, being estimated at 1,800,000 bushels mostly Manitobas, and further business was worked over night, but was not very important. Shorts were forced to cover, and there was considerable spreading between the different months and between here and Chicago seaboard estimated sales at 1,000,000 bushels, but it was not reflected here.

In the cash market there was fair demand for the lower grades from shippers and terminals, and while offerings continued rather small, all spreads were about unchanged. On the extreme bulges to-day offerings became liberal as longs were attempting to take profits, and the market sold down on two occasions. Reports from Winter wheat territory are more favorable, but the abandonment in the four soft wheat states is expected to be rather heavy. Liverpool closed ½ to ¾ higher, after opening unchanged to ⅛ higher. Winnipeg futures closed ¼ to ⅜ lower.

Coarse grains: These markets were all strong early. Oats and rye moving into new high ground. Rye advancing 2 cents on the extreme upturn, but the bulges were not held, as the demand faded away and longs were taking profits. There was further export business reported in oats and rye over night, but the volume was not large. Barley was more or less quite. Oats closed ¼ to ⅞ lower, barley ⅝ to ⅜ lower, and rye ⅜ higher to unchanged.

Flax: Crushers who have been moderate buyers recently were not in the market to-day. While there was very little pressure the market sagged and closed lower.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
July	143-4	144-2	143-2	143-4
May	142-2	142-7	141-7	142-2
Oct.	135-6	136-1	135-1	135-4
Oats—				
July	66-2	66-5	65-7	66
May	69-5	70-1	69-4	69-5
Oct.	56-4	56-5	56	56
Rye—				
July	117	118-2	116-5	117
May	121-1	123-4	121	122-1
Oct.	105-5	106-4	105-4	105-7
Barley—				
July	92-2	92-6	92	92-1
May	94-7	95-4	94-7	94-7
Oct.	79-4	79-4	78-7	79-1
Flax—				
July	200	200-1	199-4	199-4
May	196-6	196-6	196	196

Cash Grain Close

Wheat—1 N., 149¼; 2 N., 144; 3 N., 131⅞; 4, 122½; 5, 110⅝; 6, 104; feed, 98¼; track, 142¼.

Oats—2 C.W., 70⅞; 3 C.W., 65⅝; extra 1 feed, 65⅝; 1 feed, 64⅝; 2 feed, 62⅝; rejected, 59⅝; track, 68⅝.

Barley—3 C.W., 92⅞; 4 C.W., 89⅞; rejected, 89⅞; feed, 87⅞; track, 92⅞.

Flax—1 N.W.C., 193⅝; 2 C.W., 189⅝; 3 C.W., 172; rejected, 168; track, 193½.

Rye—1 C.W., 119⅝; track, 120.

Liverpool

Open: Unchanged to ⅛ higher.
Closed: ½ to ¾ higher.

(By B.C. Bond Corporation Wire)

Chicago, March 21.—Canada did a good export business, and as Winnipeg May wheat is quoted above Chicago it may be well to call attention to the fact that deliveries on contracts at Winnipeg and wheat moving for export is No. 3 and lower grades. Comparisons between Winnipeg cash prices and ours shows they are 7 to 8 cents below Chicago in the world market.

The advance to-day was due rather to scarcity of sellers than to any heavy buying. The current delivery continues strong.

Corn: For the first time since the corn run started primary shipments were to-day in excess of receipts. At the higher level to-day there was some profit taking that looked important and bears much impressed by the prices quoted for May-June shipment from Argentine.

Some setback from this advance into new ground is likely, but foreign buyers are quite likely to take advantage of such setbacks to secure needed supplies to tide them over until June arrivals from Argentine.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
March	141-2	141-5	140-7	141-2
May	139-3	140-7	139-2	139-6
July	136-4	137-4	136-3	136-5
Corn—				
March	99-6	100-6	99-4	99-6
May	102-1	103-1	101-6	101-7
July	104-5	105-2	104	104-1
Oats—				
March	58-5	59-4	58-2	58-2
May	58-3	58-4	57-7	57-7
July	53	53	52-3	52-4
Rye—				
March	122-4	126	122-3	126
May	123-4	124	122-2	123-4
July	117-4	117-4	116	116-4

Cash Grain Close

Wheat—3 R., 159¼; 2 H., 142¾; 3 H., 141 to 141¾; 1 N.S., 142½.

Corn—3 M., 99½; 4 M., 98 to 98½; 5 M., 95½ to 96¼; 3 Y., 101 to 103; 4 Y., 98 to 100¼; 3 W., 101 to 102¼; 4 W., 97½ to 98.

Oats—2 W., 60½ to 63; 3 W., 57½; 4 W., 57 to 61½.

WHITNEY LETTER

New York, March 21—Whitney of the Wall Street Financial Bureau says to-day:

"Continue to purchase such rails as Canadian Pacific, Texas and Pacific, Reading, Baltimore and Ohio and St. Louis Southwest while this period of hestitancy remains with us, as it is quite unlikely that there is more than a day or so more before this period terminates. Despite all advances which have now been recorded and the exceptional volume which has accompanied the advance, a definite bullish position toward the market is maintained while the short side continues to appear quite as unattractive as ever.

"The purchase of General Cable "A" stock is recommended at and around 80 a share despite the fact that it is nearer its best price of the year than its low range. The issue is convertible into common on a two for one basis. Anticipate that we shall have a development in this issue somewhat similar to the one which we had in Victor Talking Machine convertible preferred which issue was recommended for purchase below 100.

"Slowly but surely U.S. Leather "A" is absorbing all stock below its previous record. First quarter earnings of 1928 will be substantially better than for the entire half of last year.

"Houston Oil gave first indications of its forthcoming move in yesterday's market and having done so, a market development similar to that witnessed in U.S. Cast Iron Pipe is forecast for it. If you have followed past buying recommendations in Mackay or the current ones in Intl. T. and T. believe you can afford to take half profits here.

"I continue to recommend purchase U.S. Steel within the range of 146 and 148, irrespective of the correctness or incorrectness of the Dupont movements in this issue."

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

New York, March 21. — Foreign exchanges steady. Quotations in cents: Great Britain — Demand 487⅞, cables 488¼, 60-day bills on banks 484 1-16.

France — Demand 3.93½, cables 3.93¾.

Italy—Demand 5.28¼, cables 5.28½.
Belgium—Demand 13.93.
Germany—Demand 23.89½.
Holland—Demand 40.24.
Norway—Demand 26.69.
Sweden—Demand 26.83½.
Denmark—Demand 26.79½.
Switzerland—Demand 19.26.
Spain—Demand 16.79.
Greece—Demand 1.32.
Poland—Demand .1135.
Czechoslovakia—Demand 2.96.
Jugoslavia—Demand 1.76.
Austria—Demand .1410.
Roumania—Demand .62.
Argentina—Demand 42.84.
Brazil—Demand 12.00.
Tokio—Demand 46.89.
Shanghai—Demand 63.25.
Montreal—Demand 100.07 13-16.

VICTORY BONDS
VICTORIA PRICES

	Buy Per $100	Sell Per $100
Victory Loan, 5½%		
1933 1st May and Nov.	105.20	105.50
1937 1st June and Dec.	110.00	110.40
War Loan, 5%		
1931 1st April and Oct.	102.20	102.50
1937 1st March and Sept.	105.90	106.20
Victory Loan, 5½%		
1932 1st May and Nov.	103.80	104.10
1934 1st May and Nov.	104.95	105.20
Dominion Loan		
1928 15th April and Oct.	100.15	100.45
1943 15th April and Oct.	105.65	105.90
1940 1st March and Sept.	102.00	102.40
1944 15th April and Oct.	102.40	102.75
1946 1st Feb. and Aug.	102.60	102.95
1954 1st Feb. and Aug.	....	Market
1957 1st Jan. and July	....	Market

Add accrued interest to date: 1937, 111 days, 1.673 per $100; 1927, 1932, 1933, 1934, 141 days, 2.125 per $100; 1928, 1943, 156 days, 2.164 per $100; 1944, 158 days, 1.948 per $100; 1946, 40 days, .604 per $100.

Brokerage rate on Victory and War Loans ¼ of 1 per cent.

CALGARY OILS
(By Branson, Brown & Co. Limited)

	Bid	Asked
Devenish	.31	.35
Alberta Pacific Consolidated	.40	.42
Dalhousie	4.00	..
Illinois Alberta	.56	.58
Spooner	2.25	2.30
British Dominion	..	.30
McDougall Exploration	1.40	1.45
Royalite	..	54.00
United	..	1.50
Vulcan	..	3.30

SILVER TIP STARTING WORK

Arrangements have been completed for starting work on the Silver Tip mines by the middle of April, George E. Winkler, director, announced to-day. The crew will go up to the mine from Stewart.

Mr. Winkler said that the property, which adjoins the Big Missouri the Consolidated is now operating, is fully financed. The Big Missouri has been working all Winter.

WINNIPEG AFTER BUCKETEERS

Winnipeg, March 21.—A campaign against "share hawking" was being marshaled to-day by the Manitoba municipal and public utility board.

Increase in the number of mining companies and mining syndicates and growing interest of the public in mining propositions brought on the movement.

NEW YORK STOCKS

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Air Reduction	195	..	195
Allied Chemical	160-4	158-4	158-5
Allis Chalmers	124	120-6	123-3
Amn. Bosch Mag.	21-7	21-6	21-7
Amn. Can	85-7	84-7	85-2
Amn. Car and Fdry.	108-2	..	108-2
Amn. and For. Power	24-7	24-4	24-7
Amn. Locomotive	111-5	110-2	110-4
Amn. Radiator	142-6	141-6	142-6
Amn. Smelters	179-4	175-1	178-4
Amn. Steel Fdrys	65-5	65-2	65-3
Amn. Sugar and Ref.	66-3	64-7	65-4
Amn. Tel. and Tel.	180-4	180-1	180-4
Amn. Tobacco	167	166	166-1
Amn. Woolens	23-4	22-2	22-2
Anaconda Copper	56-4	55-4	56-1
Assd. Drygoods	46	44-6	46
Atch. Topeka and S.	189-3	188-7	189-1
Atlantic Gulf W.I.	41-3	..	41-3
Amn. Linseed	99-2	97-5	97-5
Amn. Agri Chem.	18-3	..	18-3
Amn. Drug Syn.	124	..	124
Baldwin Loco.	27-4	27-2	27-4
Balto. and Ohio	116-4	115-4	115
Bethlhem Steel	61-4	60	61-1
Butte and Superior	11	..	11
Burroughs	150-4	..	150-4
Buyers	110-4	107-3	108-3
Canada Dry	68-6	64-5	65
Cal. Packing	75	..	75
Cal. Petroleum	26-1	25-6	25-7
Calumet and Arizona	99	93-4	97-3
Canadian Pacific	216	212	214-7
Cerre De Pasco	65-7	63-4	65-4
Chesapeake Corp.	76-6	76-4	76-6
Chesapeake and Ohio	196-6	196	196
Chi. Mil. and St. P.	26-3	25-7	26-3
Do pfd.	43-6	42	42-3
Chicago Northwestern	85-3	85	85-3
Chicago R.I. and Pac.	111	110-6	111-3
Chile Copper	39-6	38-4	39-4
Chrysler Motors	64-5	63-7	64-3
Coco Cola	138-3	137-7	137-7
Colo. Fuel and Iron	81	79-5	80-4
Columbia Gas	94-3	93-4	93-4
Congoleum	26-2	25-4	25-7
Consolidated Cigars	84-7	84-3	84-7
Consolidated Gas	141	139-1	139-1
Continental Can.	98-1	97-2	97-3
Continental Motors	11-2	11	11
Corn Products	76-7	75-5	75-5
Coty	148-6	144-4	148-6
Crucible Steel	88-2	86-1	88-5
Congress Cigars	74-7	74-6	74-6
Davison Chemical	37-7	37-4	37-4
Delaware and Hudson	..	..	168-4
Delaware Lack.	145-6	142	142
Dodge Bros.	20	19-6	20
Do pfd.	72-7	71-6	72-2
Dupont Powder	364-6	359-4	364
Elec. Stg. Battery	72-7	72-4	72-4
Erie R.R.	58-6	57-5	58-6
Famous Players	..	..	117
Fleischmann	71-7	70-7	71
Freeport-Texas	84-1	83-5	83-5
General Tank	68-7	67-7	68-6
Gabriel Snubbers	17-2	17	17
General Asphalt	88-2	85-7	87-6
General Electric	145-7	142-4	144-4
General Motors	177-6	174-4	177-6
General Ry. Signals	102-6	100-5	101-2
Gimbel Bros.	41-7	40	40-5
Goodrich Rubber	85-7	83-3	83-4
Gold Dust	100-4	95	98
Granby Ore	43-4	42-7	43-4
Great Northern Ore	22-7	22-2	22-7
Great Northern R.R.	100-2	98-6	100
Greener Cananea	129-6	124-4	126-3
Gulf States Steel	..	..	55
Goodyear	58-6	58-6	57
Hershey	51	41-7	51
Howe Sound	47-2	46-3	47
Houston Oil	154-6	150	152-3
Hudson Motors	94-2	92-5	92-6
Intl. Match pfd.	116-5	114-7	116-4
Ind. Oil and Gas	26-3	25-6	26-2
Industrial Alcohol	120-3	118-4	119-1
Inspiration Copper	19-7	18-7	19-6
Intl. Harvester	246-7	242-4	245
Intl. Merc. Marine	38	37-7	37-7
Intl. Nickel	96	91-6	95-6
Intl. Paper	77-2	74	76
Intl. Tel. and Tel.	162	153	155
Intl. Cmbst. Eng.	51-6	50-1	50-6
Johns Manville	118	117	118
Julius Kayser	73-4	73-2	73-4
Jones Tea	..	..	32
Kas. City Southern	57-4	56-2	56-5
Kennecott	84	84	83-7
Lehigh Valley	94-7	93	93
Lima Locomotive	59	56	59
Loew's Inc.	70-2	68-3	68-7
Lorillard	41-4	40-1	40-1
Ludlum Steel xd.	31-4	31-6	31-4
Mathison Alkali	131-7	130-2	130-2
Maytag	32-2	31-4	32
Mack Trucks	95-5	93-5	94-6
Manhattan Elec. Sup. xd.	5-6	53-7	56
Marland Oil	36-6	35-2	36-5
May Dept. Stores	80-4	80	80
Miami Copper	18-2	18-1	18-1
Mid-Cont. Oil	27-2	26-7	27
Missouri Pacific	50	49-4	49-4
Do., pref.	112-4	110-7	111-3
Mo., Kas. & Texas	39-3	38-6	38-6
Montana Power	161-4	159-6	161
Nash Motors	92-3	89-6	91-6
National Biscuit	173-2	173-1	173-1
National Cash Register	54	53-1	53-1
New York Central	171-5	169-6	170-6
N.Y., New Haven & H.	63-2	62-6	62-6
Norfolk & Western	189-5	189-4	189-5
North American Co.	66-4	65-1	65-5
Paige	26	24-5	25-7
Packard Motors	66-6	66	66-1
Pan American "B"	43-4	42-4	43
Pan Western Oil	..	..	19-4
Pathe Exchange	..	..	14
Pennsylvania R.R.	..	..	67-4
People's Gas	171-6	170	171-6
Phillips Petroleum	39-6	38-5	39-6
Pierce Arrow	13-6	12-5	12-5
Postum Cereal	122-3	121-3	121-6
Producers and Refiners	21-3	20-7	21-3
Public Svc. New Jersey	46-4	46	46
Pullman Company	87-6	85-5	85-6
Punta Allegre Sugar	..	..	31-6
Pure Oil	22	21-6	22
Radio Corporation	162	153	157-5
Reading Company	107-4	103-2	106-4
Republic I. & S.	61-6	60-2	61-1
R. J. Reynolds Tob.	146	145	145-7
Royal Dutch	45-6	45-3	45-6
Remington Rand	27-4	27-1	27-4
Schulte Stores	54	53-2	53-5
Sears-Roebuck	91-3	89-6	90-4
Shell Union	25-7	25-4	25-6
Sinclair Oil	25-7	23-3	25-7
Skelly Oil	27	26	26-5
Southern Pacific	122	121	121-2
So. Porto Rico Sugar	37-2	36-6	36-6
Southern Railway	..	..	147
St. Louis & San Fran.	116	115-5	115-6
St. Louis & S.W.	85-6	82	85-6
Standard Oil Calif.	56-1	56	56
Standard Oil N.J.	40	38-7	40
Stewart-Warner	92-2	89-1	89-7
Studebaker Corpn.	63-6	63-1	63-4
Tidewater Oil	..	..	15-2
Texas Company	52-3	52	52-2
Texas Gulf Sulphur	76-2	73-4	73-5
Texas Pacific	127-4	125	127
Timken Roller Bearing	136-1	134-7	135-6
Tobacco Products	114-7	112-3	113-3
Underwood	66-7	66-4	66-7
Union Carbide	150-5	148	149-3
Union Oil Calif.	50-4	50	50-4
Union Pacific	195-4	194-4	195-4
U.S. Cast Iron Pipe	260	250	260
U.S. Rubber	47	44	44-6
U.S. Smelting	41	40	41
U.S. Steel Corporation	150	148-6	149-7
Universal Pipe	25-4	25	25-4
Vanadium	91-2	89-4	90
Victor Talking	88	82-2	86-7
Wabash R.R.	73-4	71-6	73
Western Union	..	..	164-7
Westinghouse Airbrake	54	53	53-3
Westinghouse Elec.	104-6	102-7	102-7
White Motors	34	33-3	34
Willys-Overland	23-2	22-6	22-6
Woolworth	188	186-4	188
Warren Pipe	19	18-4	19
Wright Aero.	88	85-4	85-4
Youngstown Sheet & T.	90-6	86-6	90
Yellow Cab	35-2	34-1	34-1

Total sales, 3,903,800.

Wall Street To-day

Wall Street Journal's Review of To-day's Stock Market Over B.C. Bond Corporation's Direct Wall Street Leased Wire to The Victoria Times

New York, March 21.—The evening edition of The Wall Street Journal says: New paragraphs were registered to-day in such issues as American Can, CH. GM. Hup, VKK and other selected specialties. Throughout the session, the market gave practically no signs of yielding any ground and it was once more apparent that traders short of the active industrials were forced to cover and in many cases at market."

Those who believed that the liquidation of Steel Common by Duponts furnished a reason for selling that stock were badly disappointed when late in the day stock was pushed aggressively to 150. The weekly steel trade reviews found that sentiment in the industry was brighter and looking confidently toward the second quarter.

The copper group swung into action for a short time around midday and some good buying made its appearance in leaders like American Smelting. There was no special news in the copper situation, but some buying is undoubtedly being attracted because of the relatively high yields available. Despite big gains in the industrial list and large turnover market did not give signs of violent disturbances, but appeared orderly throughout. Call money 4¼ per cent all day.

Dow Jones estimated VKK will show earnings applicable to common for first quarter of $1,500,000 against $1,001,985 for first quarter 1927. Company operating at capacity.

NEW YORK CURB CLOSE
(By B.C. Bond)

	Bid	Asked
Amn. Haw S.S.	19	19⅝
Amn. Rayon	14	14⅝
Auburn Motors	127	127⅞
Bancitaly	192⅝	193
Caterpillar	64	66
DeForest Radio	2½	2⅝
Dubilier	2⅜	2⅞
Durant Del.	10⅞	11
Fox Theatre	18¼	18⅜
Freshman	7½	7⅝
Gen. Baking "A"	80⅝	81½
Gen. Baking "B"	8	8⅛
Glen Alden	155	156½
Hazeltine	10	10½
Hires	21	22
Hunt	22	25
Liberty Radio	15⅝	16¼
Marconi (Eng.)	15⅝	16⅜
Marmon Motors	40	41¼
Servel	6⅞	7
Uni. Pft. Shrg.	9	9⅝
Zellerbach	50¼	51½
Amn. Cont. Oil	85	88
Cities Svc.	58⅝	..
Do., pref.	98⅝	..
Do., Bnkrs.	29	30
Creole Synd.	13½	13⅝
Gibson Oil	1⅛	1½
Marland Mex.	1⅛	2
Mountain Prod.	25⅝	26
New Bradford	4⅝	5
Pantepec	9	9½
Red Bank	8	13
Ryan Pete.	4⅝	5
Salt Ck. Prod.	31¼	31⅝
Salt Ck. Cons.	6½	6⅝
Wilcox Oil	19½	20
Cons. Copper	8½	8⅝
Cresson Gold	2	2¼
Engrs. Gold	3⅜	3½
Hawthorne	2	3
Hecla	15⅝	16
Jerome Vde.	15	50
Mesabi	1⅝	2
N.J. Zinc	196	198
New Mont.	161	161½
Nipissing	4⅝	4⅞
Ohio Copper	78	80
Tono. Bel.	1⅛	1⅝
Tono. Ext.	14	16
Tono. Mines	3⅝	4½
United East	53	60
Uni. Vde. Ext.	20	20¼
Amn. G. & E.	138	139
Assd. G. & E.	48	48½
Amn. L. & T.	189	192
Ark. Nat. Gas	7	8
Elec. Bond	93	93¼
Elec. Inv.	47	47⅝
Lehi Power	25⅝	26
M.W. Util.	133	134
Nat. Pub. Svc.	25½	..
Nor. Ohio Power	25⅝	..
Uni. L. & P. "A"	19	..
Bunker Hill	148	155
Gold Centre	9⅝	9⅝
Shattuck	..	14½
Amn. Rolling	105	105½

BOND LIST
(By B.C. Bond)

Antioquia 7s 1945 "A"	98⅝	98⅞
Argentine 6s 1957	100	100¼
Belgian 7s 1955	108	108¼
Belgian 7s 1956	106⅛	106½
Bolivia 8s 1945	105½	105⅝
Bogoto 8s 1945	105½	106
Brazil 4s 1889	60⅝	61¼
Brazil 5s 1913	74	75
Brazil 4½s 1888	72½	73½
Bordeaux 6s 1934	100⅝	101¼
Buenos Ayres 7s 1957	100¼	101⅝
Chile 6s 1960	94⅝	95
Chile 7s 1942	102¼	102⅝
Chile 6½s 1957	98½	98⅝
Costa Rica 7s 1951	98⅝	99
French Franc 5s 1920	40½	41½
French Franc 6s 1920	38¼	39
French S.S. Line 7s 1949	102⅝	103½
Italy 7s 1951	98⅝	98⅝
Marseilles 6s 1934	100⅝	101¼
Norway 6½s 1950	102¼	102⅝
Norway 6s 1944	102⅝	102⅝
Paris Orleans Ry. 7s 1954	103⅝	104
Polish 6s 1940	83½	84½
Polish 8s 1955	100⅝	101
Paris, Lyons & Med. 6s 1958	99½	99⅝
Paris, Lyons & Med. 7s 1958	104	104¼
Porto Allegre 7s 1966	102½	103
Soissons 6s 1936	99⅝	100
Siemens Halske 6½s 1951	106½	107
Polish 7s 1997	91	91½

BLISS FAVORS CAN FOR BUY

New York, March 21 (By B.C. Bond)—H. P. Bliss to-day says: "We feel that the renewed appearance of strength will not be allowed to pass without more aggressive buying in American Can and think a long position can be taken in this stock with not more than reasonable speculative risk.

"In our opinion traders, who sold Steel common because of the news that Dupont interests had disposed of some 114,000 shares, may be put strictly on the defensive in the near future.

"We think the action of the more active industrials indicates the advisability of maintaining a trading position in the swiftly moving issues and being prepared perhaps to abandon long positions at almost a moment's notice."

Montreal To-day

Last Minute News on Stocks and Financial Affairs
By B.C. Bond Corporation Direct Wire

Montreal, March 21.—The first day of Spring was heralded on the Montreal Stock Exchange by an active and strong display. There were a few exceptions to the rule, such as an 7½ point reaction in Mackay Company and a 4 point decline in Twin City Rapid Transit, but nearly all other leading issues showed notable gains.

Leading the market was Famous Players Common with a 10 point rise to 100, a new high record. Dominion Bridge responded to the intimation of the Minister of Land and Forests with a 2½ point advance of 73.

Winnipeg Electric featured the public utilities with a 3 point rally at 124⅛ on the rumor that the report that the expert engaged by the Manitoba Government to examine the feasibility of development by the province of the Seven Sisters Falls, reported against the scheme. This means that Manitoba Power will in all liklihood be granted the development rights.

Brazilian touched a high or 209¼ and closed at 208⅛, a net gain of ⅛. The new stock closed quarter higher at 53¼, and the rights remained unchanged at 20⅛. At its close of 81 Power Corporation showed an advance of 1 point.

Mackay Co. and Twin Cities reacted rather sharply. Mackay opend 8 points down at 125, rallied to 126 and closed at 125¼. The preferred eased off 2 points. Twin started 1½ lower at 47½, and continued to decline to a low of 44¾, closing at 45, a net loss of 4 points. A 2 point recovery in Wayagamac to 98 was the only important change in the paper issues.

(By B.C. Bond Corporation Limited)

	Close
Abitibi	78-4
Asbestos, com.	30-6
Atlantic Sugar, com.	20-6
Alberta Pac. Grain, com.	62
Do., pref.	100
Brazilian Traction	53-2
British American Oil	37
Brompton Pulp and Paper	57
Canada Cement, com.	31-4
Do., pref.	99-7
Canada Malting	36
Canada S.S. Lines, com.	38
Canadian Converters	124
Canadian Car	50-7
Can. Indus. Alcohol	41
Con. Mining and Smelting	274-4
Coast Copper	42-6
Cosmos Imperial, com.	19
Dominion Bridge	73
Dominion Glass	132
Dominion Textile	125
Dryden Paper	42-2
Fraser, com.	64
General Electric	91-2
Gurd & Co.	100
Hiram Walker	63-4
Massey Harris, com.	41
Do., pref.	108-4
Montreal Power	93
National Breweries	117
National Steel Car	43-4
Page Hersey	94-2
Penmans	101
Power Corpn.	81
Quebec Power	86
Seagrams	21
So. Can Power	136
St. Lawrence Power	103-4
Shawinigan	92
Steel of Canada, com.	188
Sunloch	425
Steel of Canada, pref.	165
Twin City	45
Wayagamack	99
Winnipeg Electric, com.	124
Western Grocers, com.	22
Do., pref.	81
Banks	
Bank of Nova Scotia	385
Royal Bank of Canada	356
Bank of Montreal	351

FRENCH METALLURGICAL PRODUCTION GAINING

New York, March 21.—France's metallurgical production has continued through January to show the increase that was noted at the end of 1927.

According to figures just received by the Bankers Trust Company of New York from its French information service, the pig iron output during the first month of the year amounted to 809,000 tons, or an increase of 13,000 tons over December. Steel increased by 15,000 tons, the January production reaching 750,000 tons. Of these, 736,000 were ingot steel and 14,000 tons cast steel.

On February 1, 1928, there were 144 blast furnaces working, thirty-three more were ready for use and forty-three being built or repaired.

TORONTO MINES

(By Branson, Brown & Co. Limited)

	Bid	Asked
Area	.20½	.21
Argonaut	.18½	..
Barry Hollinger	1.20	..
Beaver	1.60	..
Buckingham	.07¾	..
Castle Trewethey	.60	..
Corona	.55	..
Goldale	.32	..
Goldhill	.23	..
O. Rouyn	.24	..
Seagram	1.30	..
Kirkland Lake	1.95	..
Lake Shore	23.75	..
Laval Quebec	.20½	..
Malartic	1.17	..
McIntyre	27.25	..
Mining Corpn.	3.65	..
Nipissing	4.80	..
Premier	2.73	..
Realty and M.	.26	..
Ribago	.10	..
Sylvanite	3.30	..
Treadwell Yukon	28.00	..
Vipond	.68	..
Wright Hargraves	5.05	..
Amity	.30	..
Abana	2.78	..
Capital	.14	..
Bedford	.49½	..
Sudbury Basin	10.65	..
Sherritt Gordon	7.25	..

SPOONER WELL NO. 1 TO BE BROUGHT IN

Calgary, March 21 (By Branson, Brown)—Dalhousie No. 1 well is still running tests. Drillers at Spooner No. 1 intend to bring the well in with a small bit, if it doesn't shoot out in the next few days. Work at the other wells is progressing.

New York, March 21. — Call money easy, all loans 4¼, closing bid 4¼, asked 4½.

Time loans steady, mixed collateral 60-90 days 4½@4⅝, 4-6 months 4½@4⅝.

Prime mercantile paper 4.

To-day's Mining Market

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE

	Bid	Asked
Bayview	.08	.10½
Big Missouri	.45	..
Cork Province	.45¼	.50
Dalhousie	.35½	.46
Dunwell	..	.35
George Copper	5.50	5.85
Glacier	..	.06
Gladstone	..	.12
Golconda	.90	.92
Independence	.22	.25
Indian	.08¾	.12
Int. Coal and Coke	.34	..
Kootenay Florence	.32¼	.34
Lakeview	.05½	.06
Leadsmith	..	.05½
Lucky Jim	.40½	.44
Marmot Metals	.16	.20
National Silver G.S.	.20	.23
Pend Oreille, com.	17.25	18.00
Premier	2.60	..
Porter	.88	.95
Rufus-Argenta	.46	.50
Ruth Hope	.59	.64
Selkirks	.03½	.04½
Silver Crest	..	.12
Silverado	.97	1.04
Silversmith	.18	.23
Slocan King	.11	..
Terminus	..	.24
Whitewater, com.	..	2.90
Woodbine	.49½	.55
Oils—		
B.C. Montana	1.30M	1.50M
British Pete.	.03½	.06
Dalhousie	3.75	..
Home Oil	2.45	2.70
Illinois Alberta	.60	..
Maple Leaf	.14	.18
Devenish	.32	.45
Local Curb Stocks		
Grandview	.60	.65
Goldsmith	.09	..
Malaspina	.17	.18
Beaver	.20	.25
Caufield	15.00	15.50
Georgia River	..	.42
Oregon Metals	..	.90
C. and E. Land	..	25.00
Silvertip	..	.28
Stewart Lands	6.00	10.00
Wellington	.24½	.30
George Enterprise	..	.22
Northern Light	..	.30
Marmot Gold	.09	.09½

Sales: 500 Dunwell at .29; 500 Dalhousie at .35; 500 at .35; 1,000 Golconda at .90; 100 George Copper at 5.50; 1,000 Int. C. and C. at .34; 3,000 Lakeview at .05¾; 1,000 Malaspina at .17; 1,000 at .17; 1,000 Porter-Idaho at .30; 500 Rufus-Argenta at .47; 500 Ruth Hope at .62; 100 Silverado at 1.00; 10 C. and E. Lands at 25.00; 2,000 Marmot Gold at .09½; 200 Nor. Light at .30; 100 Pend Oreille at 17.50; 10 at 17.50.

Tuesday Afternoon Sales: 100 George Copper at 5.30; 100 at 5.75; 1,000 Porter-Idaho at .89.

B.C. Market Quiet And Sags Lower

Vancouver, March 21.—Only moderate sales developed on the stock market to-day, with price changes within narrow limits. Nothing appeared on the sales board that was of particular interest, prices being practically unchanged to lower from Tuesday.

Pend Oreille sold at 17.50 on light turnover. Grandview had a few sales at 62½.

Ruth Hope, which opened at 60, slipped back to 59. Porter Idaho was less active and traded at 89.

Premier showed a slightly firmer tendency, opening at 265 and reaching a high of 268.

National Silver, which had a slight flurry Tuesday, remained unchanged at from 22 to 22½.

L. & L. sank still lower to 12¼ and Lakeview to 5½.

Cork Province was active at 46, but Kootenay Florence was weaker at from 33 to 32½.

Golconda sold at 90 and Whitewater at 260.

Woodbine continued to sink lower, opening at 49 and dropping to 48, against Tuesday's price of 50.

Sunloch was down to 390 from the previous close of 400.

Big Missouri was in light demand at from 53 to 53½.

There were no sales in the early trading in B.C. Silver, 170 being asked. Argenta was weak at 46, closing at 44 bid, the lowest in months, and Rufus was neglected.

Home Oil sold at 250 and Dalhousie Oil 390.

VANCOUVER STOCK EXCHANGE
(By B. C. Bond Corporation)

	Bid	Asked
Argenta	.44	..
Bayview	.08	.10
Big Missouri	.54	.55
Boundary Red	.02½	.04
B.C. Silver	..	1.75
Beaver Silver	..	.25
Cork Provnice	.45½	..
Cotton Belt	..	1.00
Dalhousie	..	.45
Dunwell	.27½	.35
George Copper	5.50	5.70
Terminus	.18	.22
Whitewater, com.	2.58	2.70
Topley Rich	.50	.54
B.C. Bonanza	..	.25
Georgia River	.37	.46
Glacier	.05	.06
Gladstone	.08	.09½
Glasair	.34	..
Golconda	.90	1.00
Independence	.22½	.23½
Indian	.09½	.10
Inter. Coal	.36	.37
L. and L.	.12	.13
Lakeview	.05¼	.05½
Leadsmith	..	.04¾
Lucky Jim	.40	.42½
Marmot	.16	.17½
National Silver	.21¼	.21½
Woodbine	.45	.48
Pend Oreille, com.	17.25	17.50
Premier	2.65	2.67
Porter-Idaho	.88	.89
Princeton	..	.14
Richmond	.16	..
Ruth Hope	.58½	.60
Selkirks	..	.04
Silver Crest	.11	..
Silversmith	.19	.20
Slocan King	.11	.12
Standard Silver	.20	..
Sunloch Mines	3.80	3.90
Snowflake	.45	.55
Slocan Rambler	..	.30
Mohawk	..	.10
Marmot Gold	.09	.09½

VANCOUVER STOCK SALES

Vancouver, March 21.—Morning sales Vancouver Stock Exchange: 500 Argenta at .46; 100 B.C. Silver at 1.65; 200 at 1.70; 1,000 Bayview at .09½; 500 Big Missouri at .53; 500 at .53½; 5,000 Boundard Red at .02½; 6,000 Cork Province at .46; 100 George Copper at 5.50; 100 at 5.75; 3,000 Gladstone at .08½; 100 Glasair at .34; 1,000 Grandview at .62½; 100 Sunloch at 3.80; 100 at 3.90; 2,100 Whitewater at 2.60; 500 Woodbine at .48; 1,500 at .49; 3,500 Golconda at .90; 1,600 Inter. Coal at .36; 7,000 Kootenay Florence at .32½; 5,000 at .32⅝; 500 at .33; 5,000 L. and L. at .12; 1,000 at .12¼; 3,000 at .12½; 1,000 at .13⅛; 7,000 Lakeview at .05½; 5,700 Lucky Jim at .40; 1,000 Marmot Metals at .17; 5,000 B.C. Montana at .00¼; 500 Dalhousie at 3.90; 2,700 Home at 2.50; 1,000 National Silver G.S. at .21½; 5,000 at .22; 7,000 at .22½; 1,500 Pend Oreille at 17.50; 1,000 Premier at 2.65; 1,300 at 2.66; 500 at 2.67; 1,000 at 2.68; 3,300 Porter-Idaho at .88; 2,300 at .89; 500 Ruth Hope at .59; 500 at .59½; 1,500 at .60; 9,063 Silver Crest at .11; 2,000 Silversmith at .19½; 2,000 Slocan King at .12.

Tuesday Afternoon Sales: 500 Argenta at .46; 1,000 Bayview at .09½; 2,000 at .10; 1,500 Big Missouri at .53; 3,500 Cork Province at .46½; 600 Cotton Belt at .90; 2,000 Dunwell at .33; 500 George Copper at 5.50; 1,000 Grandview at .63; 500 at .63½; 1,000 at .64; 6,000 Independence at .23; 1,000 Indian at .09¾; 1,000 International Coal at .36; 11,000 Kootenay Florence at .33; 5,000 L. and L. at .11; 2,050 at .11½; 9,000 at .12; 600 Home Oil at 2.50; 300 at 2.55; 1,700 Woodbine at .50; 1,500 Lucky Jim at .40; 400 at .40½; 4,000 Marmot Metals at .17; 1,000 National Silver (G.S.) at .21; 1,000 at .21½; 3,000 at .22; 6,000 at .22½; 500 Pend Oreille at 17.00; 1,050 at 17.25; 200 Premier at 2.62; 500 at 2.63; 1,000 Porter-Idaho at .88½; 7,000 at .89; 1,000 at .89; 4,000 Richmond at .17; 1,000 Ruth Hope at .59; 1,500 at .60; 1,000 Slocan at .12; 100 Sunloch at 4.00; 100 at 4.05; 1,600 Whitewater at 2.60; 100 at 2.70.

Vipond Stages Another Big Run

Toronto, March 21.—Vipond was the feature of to-day's sessions of the Standard Mining Exchange, climbing sharply to 80, in the first session for a twelve-cent gain on top of yesterday's fourteen-cent advance.

Kirkland Lake sold off to 190. The firmer issues included Hudson Bay Smelting at 17.60; Jackson Manion at 82; Pend Oreille at 17.10; Noranda at 18.45, and Sherritt-Gordon at 725. The easier stocks were Barry Hollinger at 117, and Mining Corporation at 355.

BOND MARKET ACTIVE

New York, March 21. — The bond market was active and the undertone firm to-day. Railroad bonds and some of the New York Tractions were in good demand. Minneapolis and St. Louis refunding 4s moved up more than 4 points to a new high at 20¼, while Grand Trunk Railway of Canada 7s, St. Louis and San Francisco adjustments 6s, and Erie General 4s, were near their peaks. Broadway 70th Avenue convertible 5s, reached a new high at 75 and Third Avenue adjustment 5s, a new high at 62. New York Railways 6s touched their high of 20¼.

Announcement of the merger of the Mackay companies with International Telephone and Telegraph created a demand for these issues. Commercial Cable 4s moved up a full point to a new high at 87 and International T. & T. debentures 4s reached a new high at 97⅛.

The foreign group was firm, with French and German issues leading the way.

The New York City $50,000,000 issue offered about two weeks ago, was reported sold.

HIRAM WALKER UP THREE POINTS TO-DAY

Toronto, March 21—Hiram Walker and Nickel were strong and active leaders of a generally firmer list on the stock exchange this morning. Walker's rose to 62¾, more than 3 points above yesterday, while Nickel improved 1⅛ to 92¾. Mackay gained two points to 125, but the preferred fell back to 80.

The firmer spots included the canners issues, McKinnon at 38, British-American Oil at 37, Great West Saddlery at 25, McColl-Frontenac at 34⅞ and Massey-Harris at 41. Twin City eased back to 45, with Bell Telephone selling back to 166.

BROKERS RAISE MARGINS

New York, March 21.—Brokers houses here have ordered the following increases in marginal requirements; margins on Victoria Talking Machine raised from 15 to 25 points; U.S. Coast Iron Pipe from 75 to 100 points.

Vancouver, March 21.—Spot and en route wheat quotations: 1 Nor., 153¾; 2 Nor., 144¾; 3 Nor., 131¼; 4 wheat, 120⅝; 5 wheat, 116¼; 6 wheat, 105¼; feed, 103⅝.

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Standard Oil Stocks Pay $48,034,625 in Dividends for First Quarter of 1928

New York, March 21.—Cash dividends distributed to stockholders of the various companies, comprising the Standard Oil group will approximate $48,034,626 during the first quarter of 1928, according to a compilation made by Carl H. Pforzheimer & Company, specialists in Standard Oil securities. All dividends for the first quarter have been declared with the exception of Prairie Pipe Line Company. Dividends for the first quarter of this year compare with $55,804,755, distributed in the final quarter of 1927, and $55,873,413 in the first quarter of last year.

Reduced dividend payments in the first quarter of this year are due mainly to omissions of quarterly payments and reductions in the usual rates due to adverse trade conditions. Prairie Oil & Gas Company made no disbursement in the first quarter of 1928 as against a payment of $1,200,000 in the first quarter of 1927.

While Standard of California paid dividends at the same rate as in the final quarter of 1927, the amount was $1,574,262 less than that paid in the first quarter of 1927, due to the omission of the extra dividend of 12½ cents a share. Ohio Oil Company paid only the regular quarterly dividend of 50 cents a share or $1,200,000 in the first quarter of this year, which compares with a payment of $1,800,000 in the fourth quarter of 1927 and a payment of $2,400,000 in the first quarter of last year. Continental Oil Company in omitting its usual quarterly dividend of 25 cents a share, reduced dividend payments $1,074,157.

The record of quarterly cash disbursements in recent years is as follows:

		1st Quarter.
1928	.....	$48,034,626
1927	.....	55,873,413
1926	.....	40,580,317
1925	.....	34,355,618
		2nd Quarter
1927	.....	$54,291,615
1926	.....	50,618,451
1925	.....	41,905,738
		3rd Quarter
1927	.....	$47,728,440
1926	.....	46,427,278
1925	.....	35,140,584
	4th Quarter	Full Year
1927	....$55,804,755	$213,698,223
1926	 62,685,548	200,327,594
1925	 42,104,169	153,506,099
1924	 40,000,386	150,388,555

FLORENCE MINE GETS POWER

Nelson, B.C., March 21.—Contract for the electrical power line that is to furnish the Florence mine at Princess Creek with city of Nelson power was awarded by the mining company to the lowest tenderer, Bartholomew Montgomery & Co., of Vancouver, B.C. The figure is approximately $25,000. The contract calls for eleven miles of transmission line and construction of a sub-station at the mine.

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H. J. Trihey, K.C.

Becomes Director of Victor Company

H. J. Trihey, K.C., well-known Montreal Attorney played important part in re-organization of Company in which he now holds Directorship.

Announcement is made from the offices of Victor Talking Machine Company of Canada Limited, Montreal, of the election of Mr. H. J. Trihey, K. C., as a director of the Company. Mr. Trihey is also a director of the Montreal City and District Savings Bank and of Canada Foundries and Forgings, Ltd.

Mr. Trihey, who is also the Victor Company's Counsel, began his association with the talking machine industry in 1921, when he was retained as counsel for Berliner Gramophone Co., Ltd., at a time when that company's affairs were in a disorganized state. He took an active part in the reorganization which ultimately resulted in the formation of Victor Talking Machine Company of Canada Limited. Mr. Trihey is, consequently eminently fitted for his new and important post in this well-known Canadian organization.

Mr. Trihey fills the vacancy in the Directorate created by the resignation of Mr. B. Gardner, who recently left for Japan to organize and become Managing Director of Victor Talking Machine Company of Japan Limited.

Wholesale Market

Meats	
No. 1 Steer Beef	.19½
Cow Beef	.17
Veal	.18 to .22
Spring Lamb	.30
Mutton	.21
Hogs	.18½
Poultry	
Fowls	.36 to .38
Chicken	.35 to .37
Eggs	
Fresh extras, case lots, dozen	.30
Fresh firsts, case lots, dozen	.27
Fresh pullets, case lots, dozen	.35
Butter	
Best cartons	.44
No. 2 grade	.42
Solids, creamery	.42
Cheese	
B.C. solids	.23½
B.C. twins	.24½
B.C. triplets	.25½
Ontario solids, June	.26½
Ontario twins, lb.	.27
Ontario Stiltons, lb.	.30
Lard	
Tierces	.17½
Other sizes	.18 to .20
Compound tierces, lb.	.15½
Other compounds	.16½ to .18
Ham and Bacon	
Ham	.35 to .38
Bacon	.33 to .41
Vegetables	
Artichokes, Globe, doz.	M.P.
Cabbage	.05 to .06
Celery, dozen	1.50 to 1.75
Lettuce, Cal., crate	4.50 to 4.75
Peppers, green, lb.	.25
Tomatoes, hothouse, No. 1	M.P.
Tomatoes, hothouse, No. 2	M.P.
Mexican Tomatoes	7.00
Beets, sack	4.00
Carrots, sack	1.50
Parsnips, sack	2.00
Turnips, sack	1.35
Spinach, 20s	3.00
Peas	8.50
Asparagus, lb.	.50
Onions, Okanagan	4.00
Onions, Yakima Spanish	5.00
Sprouts	.10
Radish	.90
Fruits	
Apples—	
McIntosh Reds	2.50 to 2.50
Locals	1.00 to 2.00
Oranges, Navels	5.00 to 7.25
Grapefruit, Cal.	5.75
Lemons	7.00 to 10.00
Grapes	3.75
Bananas	.10 to .11
Pears	2.75 to 3.75
Smyrna Figs	M.P.

Amerada Corporation Earns $4.02 a Share

New York, March 21—Net earnings of the Amerada Corporation for 1927, after all charges, including depletion, depreciation, drilling expenses and taxes, totaled $3,706,715, equivalent to $4.02 per share on the 922,075 shares outstanding at the end of the year. Although the year was generally unsatisfactory for oil companies, the corporation reported record gross operating income of $17,211,117, and was able to show net profits equal to more than twice its dividend requirements.

"The year 1927 was a satisfactory one for the corporation," President E. L. DeGolyer said in his report to stockholders. "Although net profits were lower, almost every other item of the corporation's activities, including production of oil, gas, natural gasoline, oil in storage, wells producing, reserve, leaseholds, gross income, working capital, etc., showed a sizeable increase."

"The oil industry is still suffering from over-production," Mr. DeGolyer said. "The flush production of the Seminole field has not declined as rapidly as had been anticipated and considerable new production has been developed in West Texas. Much progress has been made by the industry as a whole, however, in restricting operations and regulating production.

"There is no immediate relief in sight, but it is hoped that further achievements in regulation will be made effective and that with the consequent establishment of reserves, prices will be more satisfactory and less liable to the severe fluctuations which have characterized the past. The industry itself should achieve a much more stable basis.

"During the latter part of the past year, your directors have considered it wise to curtail their programme of expansion and it seems probable that the same policy will be pursued during the company year."

The consolidated balance sheet of Amerada Corporation and subsidiary companies as of December 31, 1927, shows current assets of $6,074,899 against current liabilities of $1,785,757. The company's capital stock stands at $13,581,375 compared with $10,925,375 at the end of 1926. Surplus, after adjustments of $2,125,659 for drilling costs and taxes in prior years, is listed at $6,685,797, against $6,993,430 at the end of 1926.

Kootenay Mineral Areas Now Getting Their First Intelligent Prospecting

Nelson, B.C., March 21.—"All this money is going into the development of British Columbia mines." That was the way Mr. Frederick Starkey, secretary of the Consolidated Boards of Trade at Nelson approved the furious speculation in mining properties to the writer. But is it? Unquestionably a considerable volume is being put into exploration and development. Certainly this is true in a general way to a greater degree than during other periods of mining excitement in the Pacific Coast Province.

Five mining divisions have been created by the Provincial Government, which covers practically all districts under survey. There is a capable Government expert in charge of each. It is his business to watch the process of each prospect being developed, and study the reports of the various companies operating in his division. If an unusual strike is reported, he goes immediately to the scene and looks over the ground. If he does not believe the report circulated is warranted by the facts, he warns the company. In some extreme cases notices have been published on the authority of the Minister of Mines, warning the public to accept with caution such a report.

SLOWED THEM UP

This alert action has undoubtedly slowed down the reckless interests and rendered more difficult the success of crooks who always appear on the scene of speculative frenzy to prey on the public. And yet at the Mining Congress in Spokane a few days ago several addresses were delivered warning the delegates to watch carefully this angle of the development in British Columbia as "the fake promoter is abroad in ever increasing numbers." This from the mining men themselves is considered a gesture for the investing public to note with some concern.

But President S. W. Miller of the Vancouver Stock Exchange stated last week that there is more money now available in British Columbia for mining development than there are mines in sight to warrant financing by public issue. Old mining men admit this condition is a standing invitation to crooked promoters and no blue sky law ever framed can completely eliminate this hazard. Up to the present the stock exchanges of Vancouver and Victoria, the Government and alert representatives of genuine mining propositions have been very successful in discouraging the crooked promoters. But sometimes it is not easy to segregate the good from the bad, especially with anything branded "mining stocks" commanding immediate attention of all classes of people, the majority of whom haven't the slightest knowledge of mines or investment values.

GET AWAY WITH IT

With new companies being incorporated daily whose stocks are being dealt in at Toronto, Winnipeg, Minneapolis, Spokane and other places remote from the location of the scene of action, crooked promoters can "get their's" and get away with it before the public is aware of the fraud.

But if one can believe what he hears, it ought not to be necessary for even a crooked operator to resort to fraud. There are so many prospects awaiting attention, any one of which may prove to be another bonanza. The prospectors have begun to go into the mountains regardless of the snow. The vessel the writer went down the Kootenay on the other day stopped three times en route, shoved out the gang plank and dumped off prospectors with their packs and snowshoes. They were going into remote places, perhaps not to be heard of for months.

And contrary to popular impression British Columbia, even the Kootenay, Slocan and other regions adjacent, that have been the centres of active mining development for thirty-five years, has not been covered methodically by prospectors. When the first prospectors came in to British Columbia it was following the California mining discoveries. They came into the country over the old Cariboo trail and worked northward. But it was only placer mining—extracting gold from sands by most primitive methods. These hardy pioneers went on up the Fraser River and even penetrated the country away north of Barkerville. They were not interested in quartz mining. That was too slow and involved expensive machinery.

IN A GREAT HURRY

Then came the hard rock men from the Coeur d'Alene country of Idaho. That section supplied the second group of prospectors that swept through southern British Columbia. But they were not looking for prospects that called for deep mining. They wanted to find only ore that was so rich in gold or silver that it could be transported out of the country profitably on the back of burro. So these placer miners and these hard rock pioneers were not in the proper sense, as understood to-day, prospectors.

These early comers were so wasteful and hurried that the big mountain peak immediately north of Nelson of to-day was actually burned over, the rich timber being fired to clear the ground and expose any rich gold-bearing rock that might be there. Imagine that! But to-day there are experienced mining engineers prospecting these hills. A new breed. Many of them are from northern Ontario. The country is being prospected, intelligently, it might be said, right now for the first time.

White Fox Fur Rises 10 Per Cent

Winnipeg, March 21—White fox was the strong feature in the local fur auction sales. The fur registered an advance of about ten per cent, good lots being as high as $65, with the average around $42 to $45. Good average lots of weasel brought from $1.65 to $1.85, with the top price for a fine lot of Western extra large, at $3.50.

There was a good call for badger. The top price realized was $40, with the average prices for first and seconds ranging from $20 to $25. Silver fox declined from ten to fifteen per cent.

James A. Richardson Joins Nickel Board

New York, March 21—Important Canadian and English financial interests have obtained an influential position in the affairs of the International Nickel Company, it became known today when three representatives of those interests were added to the board of directors. Reports that control of the company had passed to Canadian and English hands were denied, although, according to Wall Street information, the American stockholders were in danger for a time of losing their dominant position. The annual meeting of stockholders was held at Bayonne to-day and the following new members were elected: Lord Weir of Eastwood, a well-known ship builder of Glasgow, Scotland; James A. Richardson of Winnipeg, and J. W. McConnell of Montreal.

International Nickel holds almost a world monopoly in the production of refined nickel and nickel compounds.

Big Cable Merger Formally Announced

New York, March 21—Formal announcement of a fusion of interest between the communication systems of the Mackay companies and the International Telephone and Telegraph Company was made here to-night by Clarence H. McKay and S. Behn, respective presidents of the two corporations.

The merger will bring together a communication reaching to all parts of the Americas and to European and Asiatic countries.

A wireless service to supplement existing cable and wire systems also will be operated under the new arrangement.

The plan, which is subject to approval by the respective boards, contemplates the formation of a new Commercial-Postal Company under the chairmanship of Mr. Mackay.

Retail Market

Vegetables	
New Local Potatoes, 9 lbs. for	.35
Potatoes, local, sack	1.00
Kamloops Netted Gems, sack	1.85
Artichokes, Globe, each	.20
Sweet Potatoes, 4 lbs. for	.35
Tomatoes, lb.	.50
Mexican Tomatoes, per lb.	.30
Celery	.20
Brussels Sprouts, lb.	.10
Cabbage, each	.10 and .20
Beets, 3 lbs.	.15
Carrots, per bunch	.05
Turnips, 3 lbs.	.25
Parsnips, 3 lbs.	.15
Cauliflower, each	.35, .25 and .35
Onions, 8 lbs.	.25
Netted Gem Potatoes, 10 lbs.	.35
Lettuce, head	.10
Spinach	.25
Green Peas	.20
Fruits	
Apples—	
Newton Pippins	2.50
Delicious	2.75
Spitzenburg	2.75
Russet	2.00
McIntosh Red	2.00
Cooking Apples, 5 lbs. for	.25
Local Apples, 3 lbs.	.25
Hothouse Rhubarb, bunch	.15
Egg Plant, lb.	.40
Crabapples, 6 lbs.	.25
Okanagan McIntosh Reds, 3 lbs., .35 box	2.00
Calayo Pears, each	.05
Texas Grapefruit, each	.15
Bananas, dozen	.60 and .50
Lemons, Cal., dozen	.35, .35, .50, .60
New Oranges, dozen	.50, .40, .50
Dates, 3 lbs.	.25
New California Figs, pkt.	.15, .15 lb.
New California Layer Figs, lb.	.30
Spanish Cluster Raisins, box	.50
New Fard Dates, lb.	.30
Florida Grapefruit	.10 and .10
New Almond Nuts, lb.	.30
California Cluster Raisins, box	.35 and .35
Cocoanuts, each	.35
Red Empress Grapes	.30 and .35
Local Pears, 4 lbs. for	.25
Navel Oranges	.35, .40, .50, .60 and .75
Calif. Marmalade Oranges, doz.	.40
Green Peppers, lb.	.40
Nuts	
Walnuts, per lb.	.30
Pecans	.40
Filberts	.30, .35 and .35
California Soft Shell Walnuts, lb.	.40
Brazils, new, per lb.	.30
Roasted Peanuts, per lb.	.15
Chestnuts, lb.	.30
Local Filberts, per lb.	.35
Almonds	.30
Soft Shell Almonds	.35
Dairy Produce and Eggs	
Butter—	
Best Alberta, cartons	.49
Comox, lb.	.49
V.I.M.P.A., lb.	.50
Cowichan Creamery, lb.	.50
Salt Spring Island, lb.	.48
Sandipats, lb.	.49
Our Own Brand, lb.	.48
Alberta Butter, bulk	.45
New Zealand Creamery	.46
Eggs—	
B.C. fresh extras	.36
B.C. fresh firsts	.34
Pullets extras	.32
Cheese	
B. C. Cream Cheese, lb.	.40
B.C. solids, lb.	.30
Finest Ontario, mild, per lb.	.30
Finest Ontario, matured, per lb.	.40
Edam Dutch Cheese, per lb.	.45
Gouda Cheese, per lb.	.45
Gorgonzola, per lb.	.45
Swiss Gruyere, in portions, box	.50
English Stilton, lb.	.55
Imported Roquefort, per lb.	.65
Eagle Brand, Camembert, box	.65
Circle Brand Breakfast Cheese	.40
Kraft, lb.	.33
Golden Loaf	.38
Fish	
Fresh Cod, lb.	.25
Fresh Cod Fillets, per lb.	.30
Halibut, per lb.	.35
Local Cured Blosters, 3 lbs.	.25
Fresh Herrings, 3 lbs. for	.25
Fresh Shrimps, per lb.	.30
Eastern Finnan Haddie, per lb., .17 and	.20
Fresh Crabs, each	.20
Local cured Black Cod	.25
Large Eastern Kippers	.15
Fresh Meats	
Pork—	
Trimmed Loin, per lb.	.42
Leas, per lb.	.40
Shoulders roasts, per lb.	.30
Pork Sausages, per lb.	.30
No. 1 Beef—	
Sirloin Steak, per lb.	.35
Round Steaks, per lb.	.35
Pot Roasts, per lb. .18 and	.16
Rump Roasts, per lb.	.30
Spring Lamb—	
Shoulders, per lb.	.30
Leas, per lb.	.40
Leas, full, per lb.	.42
Rabbits, local, per lb.	.30
Hams and Bacon	
Ham, lb.	.38 to .58
Bacon, lb.	.40 to .55
Flour	
Flour, all standard brands, 49s	2.35
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No. 1 Wheat	$54.00	$2.80
No. 2 Wheat	52.00	2.70
Scratch Feed	52.00	2.70
Whole Barley	46.00	2.40
Whole Corn	50.00	2.60
Cracked Corn	52.00	2.75
Cornmeal	52.00	2.70
Whole Oats	48.00	2.50
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Sullivan Mine Is Now Greatest Zinc Producer In the World But Broke Smaller Companies

Nelson, B.C., March 21.—Ontario is contributing much money and many experienced promoters to the British Columbia mining development just now. The latest deal, just announced, has been engineered by the Toronto capitalist—Paul A. McDermott. For himself and associates in Ontario he has secured a lease and bond on the Black Cap mining property.

This includes eight claims in the Sheep Creek district. The group is declared to be strong in silver showings. Neil McColeman of this city was the owner. The purchase price is said to be $35,000. A company is to be incorporated among Toronto men for the development. The Black Cap group is part of the Pend d'Oreille lime series. The property is on the south side of Fawn Creek and is served by the old Reno wagon road.

The uncertainties of deep mining are nowhere better illustrated than in the history of the Sullivan mine development. This is the wonderfully rich property at Kimberley, east of the Kootenay Lake, owned by the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company. To-day it is the chief source of the Trail smelter's huge profits. And yet the first two or three companies that worked the Sullivan went broke on the project. It is a lead and zinc proposition with an ore body said to be the largest of the proved kind in the world.

UNDER OLD METHODS

It was a lead mine originally. In fact it was bought as a lead proposition by the Consolidated. The zinc that occurred was a liability in the old days. The process of separating the metals then was not what it is now. It was not a profitable process then, but some fifteen to sixteen years ago the Consolidated began to take an interest in the Sullivan.

The first two engineering reviews rejected it. The third recommended its purchase—for the lead. Yet the very first tunnel the new organization put in disclosed ore so rich in zinc that his particular vein uncovered is declared to have paid the original purchase price of the property. To-day the Sullivan is declared to be the largest producer of zinc in the world. Every day thirty-one cars roll away from the mine to be ferried across the Kootenay and then taken by rail to Trail where the concentrates are treated. And the production is increasing in ore values and volume.

It is the very possibilities of what the "next shot" will uncover that makes speculative interest in mining such an appealing thing. That is why men are still at work in the old LeRoy group that is, according to the best scientific minds, "worked out." But any day the diamond drill may disclose ores as rich as those that made so many millionaires thirty years ago. There are some people that even think the rich copper ores that made the old Phoenix the most talked of property of its kind in the world may still occur at greater depths—and copper just now is at such a figure that bodies infinitely less valuabe than were thought worthless in the pristine days of the old Phoenix, could be regarded as rich.

The Kootenay - Florence Mining Company is another illustration of these hazards. This is on the shores of Kootenay Lake and prior to 1925 the company built a mill and introduced some expensive machinery. After a million tons of ore had been taken out, because of the low price of lead, zinc and silver, the company got into debt and was sold to liquidate claims.

CUT A NEW VEIN

But now, even uninterested experts says the mine, under the recent development work, is a very promising proposition. The company is now drilling a lake level tunnel to get under the ore bodies and dispense with the expensive process of short aerial trams from high levels to mill. The tunnel is a thousand feet long and in the course of construction disclosed a new vein, eighth-foot, hitherto unsuspected, that assays high in lead, zinc and silver values.

But placer mining has not kept pace hard rock operations through this Province. In 1863 the placers of British Columbia produced gold to the value of $3,913,563. That was the high-water mark since the Government began to keep record of placer mining in 1858, the year so much excitement was caused on the Cariboo trail by the workers extracting some $705,000 worth of gold from the sand bars of the rivers and banks of small streams. The golden flood advance five years later to the peak and has been steadily declining ever since. In 1926 the gold from placer mining was valued at only $355,503. And this in spite of the advance made in scientific processes of securing vagrant gold dust through modern machinery.

So the placer gold properties, for the development of which many stock issues are being offered the public "are not so good" as investments. The Government has been forced to warn one or two company managers of placer properties against extravagant predictions about their prospects.

Placer mines are not the metallurgical puzzles like the Sullivan. Volume of sandbars in which placer gold may be found definitely mark the margin of possible production. It is there in paying quantities because of erosion through the ages from the mother lode concealed in the quartz. Of course these are subjects that do not interest the casual buyer of mining stoks on margins. They want action and are not inclined to hold for any future development. That accounts for the frenzied speculation of the crowd—the profit of a few points fluctuation.

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SHIDZUOKA MARU HERE TO-MORROW

N.Y.K. Steamer to Reach Quarantine at 4 a.m.; Good Cargo

Bringing raw silk and silk goods, valued at nearly $4,000,000, the N.Y.K. liner Shidzuoka Maru, Capt. E. Takeda, will reach William Head quarantine station at 4 a.m. to-morrow, according to advices received by A. H. Hebb, local agent. She will probably dock at Pier 1, Rithets about 6 o'clock.

The Shidzuoka's silk cargo consists of 3,350 bales of raw silk and 107 cases of silk goods. She has also 2,000 tons of general cargo, including thirty-eight tons for discharge at this port. Forty-one bags of mail will be set down here, including six air mail.

Her passenger list totals seventy in all classes, consisting of nine first-class and twelve third for Victoria and seven first and forty-two third for Seattle.

C.N.R. EARNINGS

The gross earnings of the Canadian National Railways for the week ended March 7, 1928, were $4,481,273, as compared with $4,353,087 for the same week of 1927, an increase of $128,186, or three per cent.

RESTORER WILL ARRIVE BACK IN PORT TO-MORROW

After six weeks' absence on a cable repair job the cableship Restorer will be back in port about noon to-morrow, according to word received by Lincoln Smith of Ship Chandlers Limited, from Capt. C. M. C. Fleming. The Restorer has been engaged in the repairing of the San Francisco-Manila cable, a break having occurred near Midway Island. She left port on February 3.

AUTO FERRY ROUTES

MILL BAY FERRY

Ferry Cascade, running between Verdier Avenue, Brentwood, and Mill Bay, leaves Mill Bay daily at 10.30 a.m., 12 noon, 2.30 p.m., 4 p.m., 6 p.m., and 8.30 a.m. on Mondays only. Leaves Brentwood daily at 9.15 a.m., 11.15 a.m., 1.30 p.m., 3.15 p.m., 5 p.m., and 7.30 a.m. on Mondays only.

Vancouver-Nanaimo Service

Ss. Princess Patricia leaves Nanaimo daily except Sunday at 7 a.m. and 2.15 p.m.

Ss. Princess Patricia leaves Vancouver daily except Sunday at 10 a.m. and 5.30 p.m.

Sundays—Ss. Princess Adelaide, Princess Alice or Princess Louise, leaves Vancouver at 10 a.m. and Nanaimo at 5 p.m.

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Ss. PRINCESS ELAINE

the new 2,000-ton steamer completed recently at Clydebank for operation between Vancouver and Nanaimo by the B.C. Coast Steamship Service. The picture of the Elaine was taken during her trial trip. The vessel is 291 feet in length, with a forty-eight-foot beam and sixteen-foot moulded depth. She has accommodation for 1,200 passengers and about fifty automobiles. The Elaine is about twenty feet longer than the Princess Patricia, which she will supplement on the Vancouver-Nanaimo run. She is sixteen feet wider and of greater depth than the well-known "Gulf-flier" and compares in size with the C.P.R. coastal steamer Princess Adelaide, the dimensions of which are: Length, 290.5 feet; breadth, 46.1 feet and depth fifteen feet. The new steamer is equipped with triple screws, driven by Brown-Curtiss turbines with single reduction gears in each shaft. Her engines drive her at a service speed of eighteen knots, although in the trials she easily attained a speed of nineteen and one-half knots without difficulty. She is an oil burner. The Elaine is expected here about April 21, and will go into service early in May.

Kelowna Sleeping Car Service Will Be Started By C.N.R.

Through standard sleeping car service from Vancouver to Kelowna will go into effect on Thursday, according to an announcement by C. F. Earle, district passenger agent of the Canadian National Railways, here to-day.

The car will be of all-steel construction, containing twelve sections and one drawing-room and will leave Vancouver on the Continental Limited at 9.50 p.m. except Saturday, arriving at Vernon at 12.16 p.m. and Kelowna at 1.40 p.m. the following day. This new service will be of considerable convenience to passengers to and from Okanagan points, eliminating change of trains en route. Connection will be made at Kelowna with the Canadian National motorship Pentowna for Penticton and other southern lake points.

Between Vancouver and Kamloops passengers will have the use of the radio-equipped observation car, while a buffet-parlor-observation car is carried from Kamloops to Kelowna.

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March 20, 8 p.m.—Shipping:

CANADIAN OBSERVER, Ocean Falls for San Pedro, 1,160 miles from San Pedro.

LURLINE, Honolulu for San Francisco, 576 miles from San Francisco.

CITY OF VICTORIA, Yokohama for San Francisco, 840 miles from San Francisco.

EMPRESS OF CANADA, Victoria for Yokohama, 1,293 miles from Victoria.

ESTHER DOLLAR, bound Englewood, 1,708 miles from Englewood.

ROBERT DOLLAR, Vancouver for Yokohama, 3,224 miles from Vancouver.

ALABAMA MARU, Yokohama for Victoria, 1,800 miles from Estevan.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA, Yokohama for Victoria, 1,952 miles from Victoria.

HOFUKU MARU, bound Vancouver, 2,160 miles from Vancouver.

WEST CADRON, bound Portland 2,170 miles from Columbia River. 8 a.m March 21, PAJALA, Panama Canal for Vancouver, 106 miles south of Cape Flattery.

March 21, noon—Weather:

Prince Rupert—Rain; calm; 29.58; 47; sea smooth.

Estevan—Cloudy; southeast, strong, 29.78; 50; sea rough.

Pachena—Misty; rain; southeast, light; 29.82; 48; heavy swell.

C.N.S. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Importer arrived Vancouver, March 17; sails April 11 for Atlantic Coast.

Canadian Miller arrived Portland, Me. March 16, thence St. John and Halifax; due back in Victoria May 12.

Canadian Spinner arrived Portland, Me., March 9, thence St. John and Halifax; due Victoria April 17.

Canadian Winner arrived Victoria, March 20; sails March 21 for Atlantic ports.

Canadian Coaster arrived San Pedro, March 19; due in Victoria, March 28.

Canadian Farmer, arrived Blaineys, March 18; due back in Victoria, April 11.

Canadian Observer, arrived Ocean Falls, March 14; arrives in Victoria, April 4.

Canadian Rover, arrived Vancouver, March 21.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1928:

Day	Sunrise Hour	Sunrise Min.	Sunset Hour	Sunset Min.
1	6	55	6	57
2	6	53	6	58
3	6	51	6	00
4	6	49	6	01
5	6	47	6	03
6	6	45	6	05
7	6	43	6	07
8	6	41	6	09
9	6	39	6	11
10	6	37	6	13
11	6	35	6	14
12	6	33	6	15
13	6	31	6	16
14	6	29	6	17
15	6	27	6	18
16	6	25	6	19
17	6	23	6	20
18	6	20	6	21
19	6	18	6	23
20	6	16	6	24
21	6	14	6	26
22	6	12	6	27
23	6	10	6	29
24	6	08	6	31
25	6	06	6	32
26	6	04	6	34
27	6	02	6	35
28	6	00	6	36
29	5	59	6	38
30	5	57	6	38
31	5	55	6	39

Mill Bay Ferry

Ferry Leaves BRENTWOOD		Ferry Leaves MILL BAY
7.30 a.m.	Mondays Only	8.30 a.m.
9.15 a.m.		10.30 a.m.
11.15 a.m.		12.00 Noon
1.30 p.m.	Daily Including Sundays	2.30 p.m.
3.15 p.m.		4.00 p.m.
5.00 p.m.		6.00 p.m.

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"Coast-Kootenay Express" leaves at 7.30 p.m. daily.

"Fraser Valley Local" leaves at 5.15 p.m. daily.

"Vancouver-Huntingdon" leave at 7.30 a.m. daily except Sunday.

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To Londonderry and Glasgow

California....Mar. 31 Cameronia....April 7
Athenia.....April 14 Transylvania.April 21

To Plymouth-Havre-London

Ascania.....Mar. 31 Alaunia.....April 7

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To Queenstown and Liverpool

Carmania....April 1 Caronia.....April 13

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CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS

Seiner Victoria Went Aground; Is Being Repaired

The Murdie-Wood Engineering plant yesterday hauled out the Canadian Packing Corporation's seiner Victorac for repairs to her stern.

The Victorac went aground on March 8 while operating on the West Coast of the Island.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

March, 1928

China and Japan

Kaga Maru (Japan only)—Mails close March 3, 4 p.m.; arrive at Yokohama March 19.

President Madison—Mails close March 12, 4 p.m.; arrive at Yokohama March 25, Shanghai March 29, Hongkong April 1.

Protesilaus (Japan only)—Mails close March 13, 1 p.m.; arrive at Yokohama March 28.

Empress of Canada—Mails close March 17, 5 p.m.; arrive at Yokohama March 28, Shanghai April 3, Honokong April 5.

President Jackson—Mails close March 26, p.m.; arrive at Yokohama April 8, Shanghai April 12, Hongkong April 15.

London Maru (Japan only)—Mails close March 26, 11 p.m.; arrive at Yokohama April 12.

Talthybius (Japan only)—Mails close April 3, 1 p.m.; arrive at Yokohama April 18.

Empress of Russia—Mails close April 7, 8 p.m.; arrive at Yokohama April 19, Shanghai April 23, Hongkong April 26.

Australia and New Zealand

Aorangi—Mails close March 7, 6 p.m.; arrive at Auckland March 26, Sydney March 31.

Tahiti (via San Francisco to New Zealand only)—Mails close March 18, 4 p.m.; arrive at Wellington April 9.

Sonoma (via San Francisco to Fiji and Australia only)—Mails close March 19, 4 p.m.; arrive at Sydney April 12.

Niagara—Mails close April 4, 6 p.m.; arrive at Auckland April 23, Sydney April 28.

DANISH YOUNGSTER ON WORLD JOURNEY

PÅLLE HULD

fifteen-year-old Danish viking, who is attempting to circle the globe in forty-six days, photographed on board the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Canada at Vancouver. The Canada is taking him toward the most adventurous part of his world tour, through Korea, China, Siberia and Soviet Russia, back to his starting point in Copenhagen. Huld left the Danish capital on March 1.

MARINE NOTES

Ss. Commercial Guide, due here Friday morning to load lumber, will take a total of 1,700,000 feet at this port, King Brothers are advised.

The steam schooner Quineault sailed at 7.30 p.m. yesterday for South Bend, Wash., after loading 300,000 feet of lumber here for San Pedro.

The Canadian National steamer Canadian Rover arrived at 10.30 p.m. yesterday to discharge California cargo. She sailed at 1 a.m. to-day for Vancouver.

Ss. Canadian Winner is expected to put to sea for Montreal to-night after loading 650,000 feet of lumber here.

The C.P.R. coastal steamer Princess Victoria was hauled out at Yarrows Limited this morning for cleaning and painting, preparatory to entering the triangle run.

UNITED STATES AIR MAIL SCHEDULE

TABLE SHOWING TRANSIT TIME FROM VICTORIA

East-bound daily, including Sunday. Air mail closing to-night at 11 o'clock.

Boise, Idaho, arrives day after to-morrow, 9.20 a.m.

Boston, Mass., arrives on the fourth day, 5.35 a.m.

*Buffalo, N.Y., arrives on the third day, 2.05 p.m.

Chicago, Ill., arrives on the third day, 5.45 a.m.

Cleveland, Ohio, arrives on the third day, 11 a.m.

Dallas, Texas, arrives on the fourth day, 8 a.m.

Denver, Colo., arrives on the third day, 6.55 a.m.

Detroit, Mich., arrives on the third day, 12 noon.

Minneapolis, Minn., arrives on the third day, 11.40 a.m.

New Orleans, La., arrives on the fourth day, 10.30 a.m.

*New York, N.Y., arrives on the third day, 6.40 p.m.

Omaha, Neb., arrives on the third day, 12.20 a.m.

Ottawa, Can., arrives on the fourth day, 7 p.m.

*Philadelphia, Pa., arrives on the third day, 7.55 p.m.

*Pittsburgh, Pa., arrives on the third day, 1.45 p.m.

St. Louis, Mo., arrives on the third day, 9.15 a.m.

St. Paul, Minn., arrives on the third day, 11.30 a.m.

Salt Lake City, Utah, arrives day after to-morrow, 12.50 p.m.

*Toronto, Can., arrives on the third day, 9.35 p.m.

Washington, D.C., arrives on the fourth day, 5 a.m.

South-bound daily, except Sunday. Air mail closing this afternoon at 4 p.m.

San Francisco, Cal., arrives to-morrow, 1.15 p.m.

*Fresno, Cal., arrives to-morrow, 3.15 p.m.

*Los Angeles, Cal., arrives to-morrow, 6.15 p.m.

San Diego, Cal., arrives day after to-morrow, 5.30 a.m.

*For delivery on day of arrival a special delivery stamp will be necessary on letters addressed to these points.

PACIFIC COAST CHARTERS

Latest fixtures in the Pacific Coast charter market are as follows:

(A British steamer), Vancouver, B. C., to Antwerp or Rotterdam, 28s. Hamburg, 28s 6d, any two ports, 9d extra, April.

Glentworth (Br), 3,510 tons, time charter, Pacific trade, six months, p.t.

W. R. Chamberlin Jr., 1,300 tons, time charter, delivery and redelivery North Pacific, one round trip West Indies, p.t.; by Hammond Lumber Company.

Taiho Maru (Jap), 4,454 tons, lumber, North Pacific to Japan, March, p.t.; by Nakagawa & Co.

Clyde Maru (Jap), 3,409 tons, lumber, North Pacific to Japan, March, p. t.; by Nakagawa & Co.

Indian City (Br), 3,889 tons, grain, Vancouver, B.C., to U.K.-Continent, 29s 6d, Antwerp or Rotterdam, 29s, Prince Rupert loading 9d, extra, April.

(A King steamer), grain, Vancouver, B.C., to U.K.-Continent, Antwerp or Rotterdam, 29s 6d, April.

(A Ben steamer), grain, Vancouver, B.C., to U.K.-Continent, 30s, Antwerp or Rotterdam, 29s 6r, March and April.

Anglo-Indian (Br), 3,400 tons, grain, Vancouver, B.C., to U.K.-Continent, 28s 9d, Antwerp or Rotterdam, 28s 3d, April.

(A Japanese steamer), grain, Vancouver, B.C., to Italy, April, 30s.

(A steamer), grain, Portland or Puget Sound to U.K.-Continent, 31s, Vancouver loading, 30s 9d, March and April.

King Alfred (Br), 3,195 tons, wheat, Portland to U.K.-Continent, April, 31s; by Balfour, Guthrie & Co.

Heiyei Maru No. 7 (Jap), 2,980 tons, lumber, British Columbia and Columbia River to two ports Japan, March, $10.25 less 2½ per cent; by Mitsui & Co.

Eir (Nor) 3,532 tons, time charter, delivery and redelivery North of Hatteras via British Columbia, 90 cents (prompt).

(A steamer), wheat, Vancouver, B. C., to U.K.-Continent, May, 27s 3d.

(A "K" Line steamer), wheat, Vancouver, B.C., to U.K.-Continent, April and May, 27s 6d; by Canadian Co-operative W. P. Association.

Hankow Maru (Jap), 2,524 tons, lumber, Columbia River to Japan, prompt, p.t., by Douglas Fir E. & E. Company (re-let).

RUTH ALEXANDER NOT DELAYED BY CRASH IN SOUTH

The Pacific Steamship Company's coastwise liner Ruth Alexander was not delayed by her collision with the U.S.S. Colorado last week and will arrive here on scheduled time to-morrow night, according to advices received to-day by W. M. Allan, local agent. She is expected to dock about 10 o'clock. Ninety passengers will leave the Ruth at this port and she will set down 100 tons of general freight here.

COASTWISE MOVEMENTS

For Vancouver

C.P.R. steamer daily at 2.15 p.m.
C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 11.45 p.m.

From Vancouver

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 7 a.m.
C.P.R. steamer daily at 3 p.m.

For Seattle

Sol Duc leaves daily at 10.15 a.m., except Sunday.
C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 4.30 p.m.

From Seattle

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 1.15 p.m.
Sol Duc arrives daily at 9.30 a.m., except Sunday.

West Coast Route

B.C. Coast Service: From Victoria at 11 o'clock, Princess Maquinna, calling at points as far as Port Alice. Sailing on first, eleventh and twenty-first of each month.

Portland Canal Route

Canadian National: On Mondays at 8 p.m. from Vancouver for Stewart, B.C., and Ryder, Alaska.

Union Steamships: Every Friday from Vancouver at 9 p.m., for Prince Rupert, Anyox, Stewart, etc.

Prince Rupert Route

Union Steamships: Every Tuesday, at 9 p.m. and every Friday at 9 p.m. from Vancouver for Alert Bay, Port Hardy, Prince Rupert, etc.

Canadian National: On Mondays at 8 p.m. from Vancouver.

Queen Charlotte Islands Route

Canadian National: Fortnightly service from Vancouver.

Observatory Inlet Route

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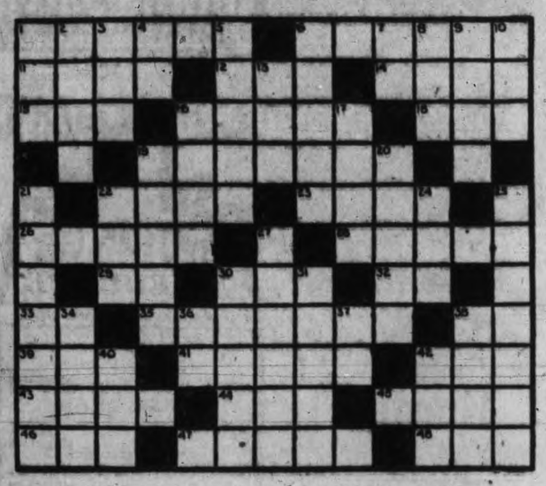

HORIZONTAL

1. What noninflammable gas is used in balloons?
6. Which is the largest city in Australia?
11. Greedy.
13. Bad.
14. Verse.
15. To secure.
16. Flash.
18. Cavity.
19. Interwoven.
22. Deportment.
23. To pierce with a knife.
26. Compound yielding sugar.
28. Oat grass.
29. To exist.
30. To total.
32. Neuter pronoun.
33. What two letters sand for afternoon time?
35. Deviations from the direct course.
38. Abbreviation for railroad.
39. Peak.
41. Who invented the electric telegraph?
42. To bring legal proceedings.
43. Verbal.
44. Mesh of lace.
45. Opposite of short.
46. Recent.
47. Concise.
48. Limb.

VERTICAL

1. Ugly old woman.
2. Opposite of odd.
3. Kindled.
4. Hypothetical structural unit.
5. Which is the largest city in Italy?
6. Bed laths.
7. Abbreviation for "doctor."
8. Frost bite.
9. To eject.
10. Still.
12. To permit.
16. Cheerfulness.
17. Boundary.
19. Languished.
20. Who was the president of the Confederate States of America during the Civil War?
21. What American won the Nobel prize for physics for 1927?
22. Crowd.
24. To wager.
25. Who won the Nobel prize for his work in the field of medicine for 1927?
27. Worshipper.
30. To make reparation.
31. Brushes.
34. In a greater quantity.
36. Standard of type measure.
37. Second note in scale.
38. Magic.
40. Cat's foot.
42. Sun.

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Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

To-morrow's Horoscope

THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 1928

Many planetary influences contend to-day, according to astrology, which reads general conditions as good.

For the successful continued power is indicated, and this fact may be discouraging to many who covet places already occupied.

In politics new leaders will gain power, but they will be in the thrall of old traditions, astrologers predict.

Surprises in the choice of candidates for President of the United States are foretold, and there will be much party dissension.

This is a sway which is better for action than for planning future enterprises. It is well to push big matters.

This is a flattering sign for initiative, but the judgment should not be trusted. Begin what has been carefully outlined.

Increase in deceit, intrigue and adroit dishonesty has been predicted by those who study the stars.

Access of selfishness and egotism is foretold, for there will be added greed for money and power as the year advances.

Plots of many sorts are supposed to be encouraged under this sway, which is not fortunate for domestic happiness.

The seers foretell for children who have come into the world since the Great War the most stupendous responsibilities in the future and likewise superb achievements.

If the stars are rightly read there are to-day myriad big souls incarnated in the bodies of very young folk, and these will redeem many world ills in the future.

Persons whose birthdate it is may expect a profitable year with increase of money.

Children born on this day probably will rise far above the average of humanity. Many leaders of men are born under this sign.

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OUR BOARDING HOUSE —By AHERN

SCHOOL DAYS —By DWIG

BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily and the Grapes

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By HOWARD R. GARIS

Uncle Wiggily had picked up the accordion which one of the little Italian boys had dropped in the field where the strings of macaroni were drying. The accordion gave a faint musical squeak as the rabbit gentleman lifted it from the ground.

"Oh, you can play!" exclaimed Baby Bunty.

"How lovely!" murmured Vallie. The little Valentine rabbit child, with Bunty and Uncle Wiggily had dropped down into an Italian field where macaroni was drying, as I told you in the story last night. Uncle Wiggily, Vallie and Bunty were on their way home from a visit to Holland, where they had been blown on a runaway kite.

"He's got to play more than that if he doesn't want me to nibble his ears," growled the voice that had so startled the three rabbits a little while before.

"Who are you?" boldly asked Uncle Wiggily for, as yet, they had not seen the owner of the growling voice.

"Now listen!" growled the Wolf.

"I'm an Italian Wolf!" was the answer and from behind a screen of drying strings of macaroni stepped a big, hungry Wolf.

"Oh!" exclaimed Bunty and Vallie, but they did not run away and leave Uncle Wiggily to face the Wolf alone. The two brave little bunny girls hopped closer to Mr. Longears, who still held the accordion. It was stretching itself out like a lazy cat, the bellows opening farther and farther and a few faint squeaks coming from it.

"Go on!" ordered the Italian Wolf, who seemed just as impolite as the Woozie Wolf that lived near the hollow stump bungalow. "Play me some music!"

"I—I'm afraid I can't," answered Uncle Wiggily, gently twinkling his pink nose. "I never learned to play the accordion."

"I don't care whether you ever took any lessons or not!" snarled the Wolf. "I want you to play me some music! Quick now, before I nibble your ears," and the Wolf not only looked hungrily at Uncle Wiggily's ears, but also at those of Vallie and Bunty.

The rabbit gentleman and the little bunny girls were wishing the brave Italian rabbit, who looked like a policeman from Naples, with green rooster feathers in his hat, would come back. Perhaps he could save them from the Wolf. But the Italian rabbit was away looking for a place where Uncle Wiggily might sleep that night, so there was no one to stop the Wolf from nibbling ears unless Uncle Wiggily played music.

"Go on!" growled the Bad Chap. "Make me some music!"

"Oh, dear!" sighed Mr. Longears. "I never played in my life anything more than a cornstalk fiddle. But, of course, I should at least try to work this accordion." He looked at it and saw that at each end there was a leather strap, or loop. Uncle Wiggily had seen the Italian boy put his hands under these leather loops to pull the accordion bellows out, once he had pushed it in to make certain notes. "Ah," thought the rabbit gentleman to himself, "maybe if I can't play the accordion I can play a trick on this Wolf." So he said to the Bad Chap:

"Perhaps you play a little, Mr. Wolf? I'm sure you can, so if you will first give me a lesson on the accordion I will play for you."

"All right!" growled the Wolf. "Give it here. I can play, but I'm lazy and I want you to do it for me. But I'll give you one lesson."

So the Bad Chap took the accordion from Uncle Wiggily. The Wolf slipped his paws under the two leather straps and it wa a tight fit for his paws were large and the straps were small.

"Now listen!" growled the Wolf. He pulled the accordion out. Some music came from it, but Uncle Wiggily did not stop to listen. Instead the rabbit gentleman shouted:

"Come on, girls! The Wolf's paws are held fast now in the accordion straps and he can't catch us! Run! Hop! Get away!" And through the rows of macaroni ran the three bunnies.

"Ha! if Uncle Wiggily can't play the accordion he can play a trick on me!" growled the Wolf as he twisted and squirmed to get his paws loose from the straps so he could run. But his paws were tightly held fast so Uncle Wiggily got away. He and the little bunny girls were now running through a field on the side of a hill when, all at once Vallie cried:

"Oh, somebody is throwing stones at us!"

"No," said Mr. Longears, "we are now in a field of grapes and it is grapes dropping off the vines that you think are stones hitting you. See what a lot of grapes are here!" It was true. There were thousands of grape vines on the hill. The three rabbits hid among the green leaves listening to see if the Wolf would chase after them.

And if the snow man doesn't come in the house to warm his nose and melt into a puddle of water, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and the white bears.

ELLA CINDERS—The Box Canyon —By BILL CONSELMAN and CHARLIE PLUMB

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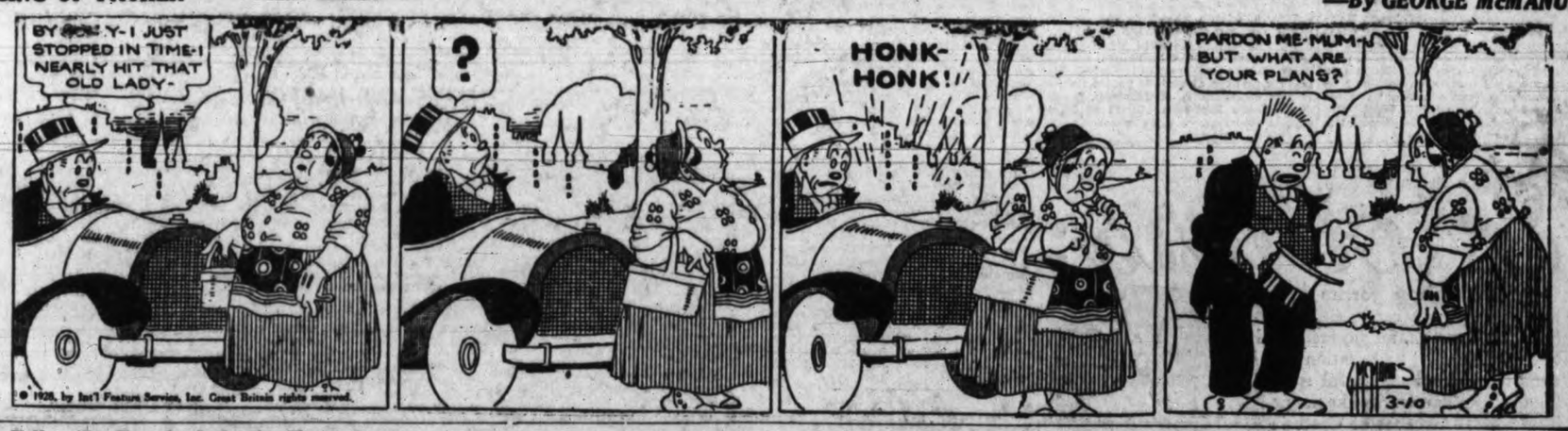

MUTT AND JEFF—Does the Little Fellow Get Even? Judge for Yourselves

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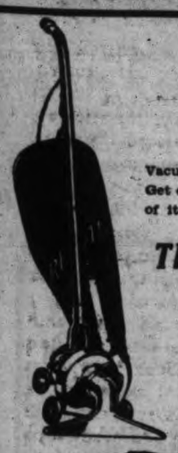

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In an interesting and instructive address before members of the Victoria Horticultural Society last evening in the City Hall, J. Fyfe Smith of Vancouver declared that nowhere could the climatic conditions of lower Vancouver Island and the southern coast of the mainland of British Columbia be equalled for the culture of flowers, particularly Spring blooms. Mr. Smith said that during the middle of February he had nineteen different flowers in bloom in his garden. Mr. Smith dealt with the location of plants in the garden, the use of garden refuse to create humus in dry soils and general beauty in landscape planning.

The president of the society, P. R. Leighton, acted as chairman for the evening and he, together with George Attwood, vice-president, and Major Barton thanked Mr. Smith on behalf of the members of the society for his address.

REPORT ON FISHERIES

Ottawa, March 21.—Members of the Royal Commission on Maritime Fisheries, meeting in Ottawa, are drafting their report. The commission held a large number of hearings during the last six months at various points in the Maritimes. Hon. A. K. Maclean, president of the Exchequer Court of Canada, is chairman of the commission.

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SAANICH LIBERALS RE-ELECT RAMSAY

Aggressive President Is Accorded Acclamation By Enthusiastic Annual Meeting

Two hundred men and women attended the annual meeting of the Saanich Liberal Association held last night at Marigold Hall, with President David Ramsay in the chair.

President Ramsay referred feelingly to the loss to the Liberal Party, during the last year, in the death of Hon. John Oliver, described as one of the great men of Canada; the death of Dr. Rothwell and the late William Sloan, and the passing of the late W. J. Kellie, one of the strong men of Saanich Liberalism.

PRIME MINISTER POPULAR

"The stock of Hon. W. Mackenzie King has gone up tremendously throughout Canada, and we have just received one of the famous budgets of Hon. Mr. Robb, in which he shows the debt of Canada has been reduced by $144,000,000 and that, despite reductions in taxation, he proposes further cuts in taxes totaling $90,000,000," said President Ramsay.

CANADA ADVANCES

Indicating the splendid conditions prevalent in Canada, Mr. Ramsay showed that, while prosperity is general in Canada, in the United States unemployment has been widespread. He referred to the demand for farm relief in the United States and coupled that condition with existence of extremely high protection under the Fordney tariff. "If ever there was an opportunity for a high tariff to bring prosperity it has been in the States in recent years, yet we find unemployment rife, while in Canada we enjoy prosperity unparalleled," said President Ramsay.

The progress made by Liberalism in Saanich during the last year was sketched, with seven active ward associations, and an eightfold increase in interest. Reference was made to the reception tendered Hon. Dr. J. D. MacLean shortly after he became Premier, the speaker remarking that the leader of the Government has entirely won the confidence of the people of the Province.

President Ramsay said that Norman Whittaker, as Liberal candidate in Saanich, had won widespread support his genial personality and sincere labors on behalf of the constituency being warmly appreciated. Many matters had been taken up with Ottawa, through C. H. O'Halloran, with great success.

Secretary-Treasurer H. W. V. Pecknold presented a report showing a small credit balance in hand.

OFFICERS ELECTED

Right Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King and Hon. J. D. MacLean were named honorary presidents, and Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith, M.P.P., and Hon. A. M. Manson were chosen honorary vice-presidents.

President David Ramsay was re-elected to office by acclamation. Three vice-presidents were elected, being Mrs. J. McN. Beckett, A. W. Arnup and Francis Simpson. Secretary-Treasurer H. W. V. Pecknold was re-elected by acclamation.

President A. T. Weight of the Esquimalt Liberal Association presented greetings, declaring Esquimalt Liberals were determined to remove Mr. Pooley "because any man who can say that an absent leader is better than no leader at all must have something the matter with his brain.

OFFICERS PRAISED

Norman Whittaker contrasted the enthusiasm and attendance at Liberal gatherings of recent months with the conditions existent a few years ago. He believed the advancement due to brilliant leadership by the officers, President Ramsay and Secretary Pecknold.

Mr. Whittaker touched upon the return to British Columbia of the lands of the railway belt, with an increase in provincial revenues of $500,000. He credited the successful result of the negotiations to Hon. Dr. MacLean. "The Conservatives tried but got no result, but the Liberal Government did," he remarked.

Authorization of road loans totaling $4,000,000 was of great interest to Southern Vancouver Island as the construction of the West Coast Road would open up great resources. Mr. Whittaker also touched upon the Governments efforts to sell the Pacific Great Eastern Railway and the power acquired to extend the line to Vancouver and northward in the event of no sale being consummated.

Mr. Whittaker recalled that no reasons were given by the Conservatives for opposing the road loans and other measures and pointed out that the Government generally had been able to rely upon the support of the Independent and Labor members of the Legislature. In closing, he expressed confidence that the Liberal Party will be upheld when it appeals to the voters for endorsation.

Following the speaking, the ladies provided refreshments, and the audience enjoyed an hour of social conversation and dancing, many taking the opportunity to meet Mrs. M. E. Smith, M.P.P.

Keating

Keating, March 21.—The Ladies' Aid of the South Saanich United Church held a St. Patrick's tea and sale of work in the church on Monday afternoon, many visitors being present from James Island and Sidney. This is an annual event and proved very enjoyable and successful on Monday afternoon. There was a plentiful supply of home cooking, candy, aprons, kitchen articles and flowers. Tea was served from tables decorated with daffodils and greenery, and Miss Alma Heyer played selections on the organ.

The Young People's Club of the South Saanich United Church held the regular meeting in the church on Tuesday evening, the athletic committee convening the evening's entertainment.

The many friends of Mrs. Tanner, Central Saanich Road, will be pleased to hear that she has returned home from the hospital and is progressing favorably after a recent operation.

Mrs. Lawrence Hafer and infant son have returned to their home in Port Angeles after spending the past week visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Gale, Stelly's Cross Road.

The five hundred tournament held in the Temperance Hall on Saturday evening provided a pleasant social time for five tables of players. First prizes were awarded to Mrs. F. Young, Miss Violet McNally, Messrs. Clowe and W. McNally. Refreshments were served after the game by the hostesses, Misses Violet McNally and Blanche Sherring.

TOLMIE SAYS HE WILL NOT DROP SAANICH

Tory Leader Pledges Himself to Run in Home Riding at Next Poll

Hon. S. F. Tolmie, Conservative Party Leader, has pledged himself to be a candidate for the Provincial Legislature in Saanich at the next Provincial election. In a letter read to a meeting of Ward Two Conservatives in Cloverdale School last evening, Dr. Tolmie declared he would be willing to accept nomination in Saanich, and at the same time T. G. Coventry, member of the Legislature for Saanich, reiterated his willingness to retire in favor of his chief.

Col. A. W. Wood, president of the Saanich Conservative Association, read a letter from Dr. Tolmie under date of March 7, in which the Conservative Leader, now in Ottawa, denied he would leave his home riding at the next provincial poll. The communication from Dr. Tolmie, as read by Col. Wood, was, in part, as follows:

"I am advised that a rumor has been started that I shall not be a candidate in Saanich. This is purely propaganda, probably from a Liberal source. I want to say with regard to my candidature in Saanich that I stand exactly where I was when I was honored by a request to stand for nomination by a number of representatives from your association. You will remembed my remarks on that occasion. No one has any authority to give any other interpretation to what I said at that time."

Mr. Coventry, in reviewing the recent session of the Legislature, attacked the Government's Pacific Great Eastern legislation, authorizing the expenditure of $4,000,000 on the line, should it not be sold. There was no assurance, Mr. Coventry said, how this money would be spent. This, with the Government's $4,600,000 road loan, would give the administration a large sum on the eve of an election, he said.

Nine delegates and fifteen alternates were nominated at last night's meeting to attend the Conservative convention to be held April 20.

SCENIC BEAUTY SHOWN IN FILM

The Vancouver Island section of the Alpine Club of Canada watched the showing of some remarkable scenes of Canadian mountain and park land at the Chamber of Commerce last night, when J. C. Campbell, director of publicity for the National Parks branch, Department of the Interior, flashed upon the screen the reels of film which he has taken throughout the Dominion.

Jasper Park and Banff were shown.

Some remarkable sections of film, a study of wild life in New Brunswick, were of particular interest. The vastness of the Rocky Mountains was pictured from the air in a flight over the snow-covered peaks.

Mr. Campbell spoke briefly on the preservation and utility of the Canadian national parks.

A. O. Wheeler, president of the club, tendered Mr. Campbell a hearty vote of thanks.

MASS MEETING OF CIVIL SERVANTS

Officials of National Council Will Speak Saturday Night at K. of C. Hall

The Victoria Local Council of the Amalagamated Civil Servants of Canada will hold a mass meeting of Dominion Civil Servants at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 902 Government Street, on Saturday at 8 p.m., to hear F. Knowles and Harold Baker, president and first vice-president of the National Council of the association.

President Knowles has recently been on a visit to Ottawa where, with National Secretary Charles Gardner, he has been negotiating with departmental heads on a number of subjects affecting Federal civil servants of almost all branches of the service.

The Amalgamated Civil Servants of Canada are organized for the purpose of uniting all Federal employees and Dominion Civil Service bodies into one association, the more effectively to advance and maintain their social and economic welfare.

The association at present is composed of members of the following Government departments and their respective branches:

Agriculture, Health of Animals Branch; National Revenue, Customs Branch, Excise Branch; Finance, Income Tax Branch; Immigration and Colonization, Immigration Branch, Soldiers' Settlement Board; Interior, Dominion Water Power and Reclamation Service, Forest Products Laboratories of Canada, Indian Affairs; Justice; Lands; Marine and Fisheries, Fisheries Branch, Meteorological Service; Mines, Dominion of Canada Assay Office; Post Office, Letter Carriers' Branch, Postal Clerks' Branch, Mail Porters' Branch; Public Works; Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment; and Trade and Commerce.

During his recent mission to Ottawa, President Knowles was entrusted with several negotiations of interest to local civil servants.

The association's entertainment committee promises a thoroughly interesting and enjoyable evening.

Miss Mona Jewell and her dancing pupils will be a feature of the programme.

As the Victoria Local Council has undertaken to bear all expenses, there will be no admission charge to civil servants and their families.

Flattering Reception For Mark Hambourg

Judging from opening day's sales of tickets at Fletcher Bros. yesterday, Victoria will give Mark Hambourg a flattering reception at his farewell recital here on Wednesday, April 4. Of his superlative gifts as one of the greatest pianists of the day, there is no question and his popularity in Canada is again evidenced by the large audiences that greet him everywhere in his present Canadian recital. He will leave here for an extended tour of Australia.

AT THE THEATRES

GOOD VAUDEVILLE BILL OFFERED AT COLISEUM THEATRE

A pleasing vaudeville bill is being offered at the Coliseum this week. Opening the bill is Sandy McNab, Scotland's violin mimic in a novelty offering. Next come the Berry Sisters, in old-fashioned dances; followed by Buster Brown, the laughing songster, featuring "A Jolly Good Laugh." Lelia Doherty presents two very good dances, and Jack Carr closes the bill with "A Study in Black."

"Underworld," Paramount's melodrama of crookdom, is at the Coliseum to-day.

Clive Brook is "Rolls Royce," Evelyn Brent "Feathers," George Bancroft "Bull"; Larry Semon, "Slippy," and Fred Kohler "Buck." Josef von Sterberg directed for Paramount, Ben Hecht's original screen story was supervised by Hector Turnbull.

GEORGE O'BRIEN PLAYS LEADING ROLE AT COLUMBIA

Leo Houck, who has learned much about pictures through his association with George O'Brien, for whom he acts as trainer, took a hand at acting in the big ghetto scene from "East Side, West Side," the Fox production in which O'Brien plays the lead. Leo, in a striped jersey and checkered cap, was one of the most realistic types in the "Grogan Gang," and thoroughly enjoyed the role for two days. The picture is showing at the Columbia Theatre to-day.

"SCARLET LETTER" PLAYS AT VARIETY WITH LILLIAN GISH

A descendant of the ancient Vikings was picked to direct a classic of the early Puritans, when Victor Seastrom handled the production of "The Scarlet Letter," Lillian Gish's new Metro-Goldwyn-Meyer starring vehicle, playing at the Variety Theatre. The reason was that the psychology of the dolorous and inflexible Puritans was very similar to that of the stoical Norsemen. Lars Hanson, famous Swedish star, makes his debut as Miss Gish's leading man in the Nathaniel Hawthorne romance. Henry B. Walthall, Karl Dane and other noted players appear.

DOLORES COSTELLO HAS LIGHT COMEDY PART AT PLAYHOUSE

Beautiful Dolores Costello, who has became known as the interpreter of sorrows, has made an excursion into the field of light comedy, which shows her to possess that rarest of all qualities—true humor. George Ade's delightful comedy, "The College Widow," picturized by Warner Bros., now showing at the Playhouse is her vehicle. She is the girl who wins the college bequest, by recruiting a winning football team through her personal charm.

Colleen Moore in "Painted People" is also on the bill at the Playhouse.

CHANEY HAS WEIRD ROLE IN PICTURE AT THE DOMINION

Tod Browning, who has directed Lon Chaney in "The Unholy Three," "The Unknown," "The Road to Mandalay" and others of his most conspicuous successes, again directs "The Man of a Thousand Faces" in his latest starring vehicle, "London After Midnight," which is showing at the Dominion Theatre this week.

Hypnosis, cataleptic trances, telepathy and projection of thought into fourth-dimensional space are some of the mysteries that Chaney expounds in his strange role in the new picture.

BEERY AND HATTON AGAIN APPEAR IN MILITARY UNIFORM

Wallace Beery and Raymond Hatton distinguish themselves in military service for the third time.

They were doughboys in "Behind the Front," gobs in "We're in the Navy Now," and after a session as smoke-eaters in "Fireman, Save My Child," they appear now in army uniforms again in "Wife Savers," the Paramount comedy now at the Capitol Theatre.

Beery is a buck private on kitchen police and Hatton is a second lieutenant. It is just the reverse of their positions in civilian life, where Beery was the head waiter and Hatton just an ordinary waiter.

On the stage this week at the Capitol are the Wun Sisters, two clever Oriental dancers in a dance presentation, and supported by a stellar vaudeville programme which includes Bob Kaye, the famous Scottish comedian; Miss Moore, pianist; Miss Belle McEwan, soprano, and Harold Bechtel, the singing master of ceremonies.

RHEUMATISM EASED RIGHT UP

When He Storted In On Tanlac

"It is certainly surprising what the right treatment will do to get a man feeling right again," said Mr. Charles Coulter, 125 Sackville Street, Toronto. "My hands were so swollen with Rheumatism that I could not play my violin. My right leg hurt so badly I couldn't bend over; and I suffered so much that I could neither eat nor sleep. I was getting steadily worse until I started Tanlac. The Rheumatism began easing up when I had taken a few doses; and in a week or two the pain was all gone. I have not been bothered with Rheumatism since, and feel fine in every way."

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Where To Go To-night

Capitol—"Wife Savers."
Columbia—"East Side, West Side."
Dominion—"London After Midnight."
Playhouse—"The College Widow."
Variety—"The Scarlet Letter."
Coliseum—Vaudeville.
Crystal Garden—Swimming and Dancing.

MANHATTAN SNAPSHOTS

New York, March 21—Scattered leaves from a week's notebook. . . . Backstage to call upon Roland Young and found there a merry party congratulating him on his portrayal of the ineffectual king in "The Queen's Husband," which is Robert Sherwood's little joke on Queen Marie's visit to America. . . . And there was Gilbert Seldes, the erudite essayist and his wife, and John Farrar, who used to edit The Bookman, and his wife, who used to edit crossword puzzles, and Al Wood's son and some others. . . . And found Mons. Young proudly displaying the "property" medals he has to wear on his costume. . . . And among those present was a young man who had come from Roumania in a reportorial capacity to "cover" Queen Marie's trip and who related some amusing tales which might be unethical to relate out of school. . . .

And, wandering down Broadway, became enthralled with the antics of a beturbaned gent, who probably hails from the Bronx. He was doing osme very grand card tricks and such, until a small boy demanded to know whether he could "do the one with the four aces and the four kings. . . ." And for the first time in my life I found that a "pitch" man can be fussed. . . . Arriving at the office of my daily toil, I found there Ben Lucien Burman, who writes serials and stories and such, waiting to bid me good-bye. . . . And he told me of how Evelyn Scott, the novelist, had rented him a house on an oasis in the desert, about 200 miles from nowhere, and in a city where life went on as it had hundreds of years ago and where you could not venture outside the walls without a guard because of the bands of roving brigands. . . . And walking to the window, and thinking of the wear and tear of life in this metropolis, I grew so envious that I could have slain him then and there, finally expressing the desire that he get full of French wine some day and wander outside the walls without a guard. . . .

Thus, dejectedly, out into the street again where I came upon those movie-looking guards for the American Express wagons, all standing with drawn guns at the corner of Forty-second and Broadway. . . . And, around the corner, saw two plain clothes detectives trailing a famous "dip." . . . Watched three autos crash just under the Sixth Avenue elevated and came upon two women trying to pull each other's hair out in the Library square. . . . Whereupon, I decided that perhaps New York was not so unadventurous a place. . . .

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You can never tell about the "off-stage" affairs of Broadway's prominent folk. At a public gathering the other night—one of those Broadway "testimonial" dinners—two famous black-face comedians lauded each other in public speeches and then all but fell into each other's arms. Yet they have not spoken to each other for months. A typical "stage quarrel" had grown out of the fact that one of the comedians had appeared in a film version of a play in which the other had been starred.

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"Dirk," the ferocious looking pirate who for years has paraded in front of a Greenwich Village slummer's resort, turns out to be an art student who had been doing this for a living and who has just returned from studying in Paris. He paid for his Paris tuition by steering tourist bus occupants into the cafe.

GILBERT SWAN.

HUMOROUS HEALTH LECTURE TO-NIGHT

Dr. A. F. Barton will give another of his health talks in the New Thought Temple at 8 o'clock this evening. His subject will be "Getting Pep Without Pepper," and will abound with humor, a characteristic of Dr. Barton's health talks.

Following the lecture Dr. Barton will give public demonstrations of his methods of diagnosing disease from observation of the eyes.

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